

the limits without and have disposed on Bulgaria. We ought to declare war on Turkey without an hour's delay. The failure to do so hitherto has caused the talk about making the world safe for democracy to look unbecomingly like insincere rhetoric. While

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## Republican Ads Circulation RESULTS

## FOR THEIR COUNTRY

Roll of Those Killed or Wounded, as Announced by U. S. Government Yesterday

## CALIFORNIANS.

## KILLED IN ACTION.

PRI. RUEL W. DAY, Philo, Cal.  
 PRI. ISADOR BATTISTI, 501 Broadway St., San Francisco, Cal.  
 PRI. GEO. GRIMES, 1115 Francisco St., San Francisco, Cal.  
 PRI. TRAVIS S. WOT, Huntington Park, Cal.

## DIED OF WOUNDS.

PRI. REUBEN FOWLER, 3978 Louisiana St., San Diego, Cal.  
 PRI. OTTO E. KINTZE, R. F. D. A, Box 20, Reedley, Cal.

## DIED OF DISEASE.

PRI. FRANK GUSTAVE THOMAS, 11111s Hotel, Bakersfield, Cal.

## WOUNDED SEVERELY IN ACTION.

PRI. AUGUST A. ALTHEIDE, 1115 California St., Orange, Cal.  
 PRI. MAHLON COLLINS, West Point, Cal.  
 PRI. OXIE W. MURPHY, Whittier, Cal.  
 PRI. CHRIS J. SMITH, Woodland, Cal.

## WOUNDED IN ACTION—DEGREE UNDETERMINED.

SERG. ARTHUR R. WILSON, Sherman, Cal.  
 CORP. ORVILLE F. HENDERSON, 600 W. Main St., Tullock, Cal.  
 PRI. EDWIN E. JACOBS, San Marcos, Cal.

## MISSING IN ACTION.

PRI. RAYMOND R. ROONEY, 2443 Post St., San Francisco, Cal.

## SLIGHTLY WOUNDED.

LIEUT. CHAPLAIN FRANCIS W. LAWSON, 823 West Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American expeditionary forces:

Killed in action 58

Died of wounds 34

Causes of accident and other 2

Died of disease 25

Wounded severely 217

Wounded (degree undetermined) 108

Wounded slightly 128

Missing in action 46

Died from airplane accident 2

Prisoners 2

Total 635

## Section One, Army List

Corporal Alfred H. O'Neil, New York, N. Y.

Y. M. C. A. Worker Walter New Murray, East Orange, N. J.

Privates

Raymond R. Nockett, Salt Rock, W. Va.

George T. Bishop, Sedro Woolley, Wash.

Frank Dine, New York, N. Y.

Harry L. Kock, New Albany, Kas.

Arthur Radford, Saint Paul, O.

Noto Salvatore, Genova, Italy.

Henry S. Sherman, New York, N. Y.

Henry B. Hume, Little Falls, N. J.

Rert Harpham, Council, Ida.

Samuel A. Larnard, Philadelphia, Pa.

Kay C. Morton, Durkee, Ore.

Robert Rumley, Norfolk, Va.

Rurley Waymaster, Black Mountain, N. C.

DIED OF WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ACTION

Privates

Rufus Carter, Durant, Okla.

Jacob Chertey, Postolova, Russia.

Edward J. Dowd, Troy, N. Y.

Harry Pappas, Grand, Greece.

Leo A. Tuck, Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Walter A. Wandless, Boston, Mass.

Henry H. Commander, Enterprise, Ala.

Harry J. Glick, Baltimore, Md.

Herbert G. Spence, Providence, R. I.

Clarence C. Miller, St. Louis, Mo.

DIED FROM ACCIDENT AND OTHER CAUSES

Privates

Abel Harris, Clearfield, Pa.

DIED OF DISEASE

Sergeants

Clyde H. Rhodfer, Sequim, Wash.

Privates

William Lewis, Epworth, S. C.

Thomas D. Cooper, Delhi, Okla.

Alec G. Gill, Kenwood, Ala.

WOUNDED SEVERELY

Lieutenants

Frank E. Williams, Elton, Md.

Edward W. Harris, Philadelphia, Pa.

Sergeants

Howard A. Eagan, Philadelphia, Pa.

Robert Burgess, Mill, Detroit, Mich.

George Matzen, Norregraad, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Oscar Olson, Eau Claire, Wis.

William Stacy, Hazard, Ky.

Corporals

Albert H. Bleser, Chicago, Ill.

Dallas Corder, Dobson, N. C.

Gleason Grove, Lawrenceville, Ill.

William T. Messersmith, Chicago, Ill.

Lieutenants

William Ryan, New York, N. Y.

Peter C. Simons, East Bayonne, N. J.

Privates

Charles R. Waltz, Rollsville, Pa.

Valentine Wurmest, Pontiac, Ill.

Martin F. Pleisarker, Indian Harbor, Ind.

Samuel Radist, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Glen N. Pangborn, Rapid City, Mich.

Wagoner James Dolan, Butte, Mont.

Privates

Lawrence Ware Adams, Swampscott, Mass.

Hugh W. Adler, Gault, Tenn.

Edward J. Bessie, Janville, Minn.

Clarence A. Bernhardt, Chicago, Ill.

Fred Blum, Clermont, Ia.

Guy Boomhower, Paysonville, O.

Charles N. Duxley, Pittsburg, Mass.

Lester M. Eastman, Haverhill, Mass.

Lawrence A. Frey, Bell Prairie, Ill.

Joseph P. Glover, New York, N. Y.

William John Hall, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Blair Hansen, New York, N. Y.

Ebb Joseph Harrison, New Orleans, La.

Hite Hartless, Buena Vista, Va.

Irwin D. Howard, Delton, Va.

Frank J. Howley, Hoboken, N. J.

Emil C. Jensen, St. Joseph, Mo.

William Klambuder, St. Paul, Minn.

Domenico Agresta, Woburn, Mass.

William H. Byrd, Leavenworth, Ind.

John W. Carter, Nicholasville, Ky.

Ellwood Finch, Alexandria, Va.

Charles Andrew Godfrey, New Canton, Ill.

Louis A. Gysel, Elkhardt, Ind.

Thomas Holland, Monongahela, Pa.

Marla F. Littlefield, Dover, Maine.

Ray D. Logan, Royall, Minn.

Rocco Marmorela, Piacenza, Italy.

Ralph Miller, Arnold, Neb.

Edward Neimoyer, Higginville, Mo.

William Paskowski, Detroit, Mich.

Henry Rath, Lone Rock, Ia.

David Rittenhouse, Germantown, Pa.

Clayton Smith, Lakemont, Pa.

Earl Walter Sher, Williamsburg, O.

Clyde Smith, Sharon, Pa.

George T. Virtue, Philadelphia, Pa.

William H. Wise, Reiner City, Pa.

Max Lewis, Chicago, Ill.

Max S. Lieberman, New York, N. Y.

Ralph C. Lundy, Benton Harbor, Mich.

Edward W. Mahannah, Dwight, Ill.

Peter A. Marlinth, Harbor Springs, Mich.

Dallas Marshall, Sanger, Texas.

Clyde W. Metzler, Blair, Neb.

Winfield S. Mills, Milton, Ark.

Clarence Moody, Theodora, Ala.

Jas. W. Morrow, Saxapahaw, N. C.

Edw. L. Motz, Omaha, Neb.

Ray Percifull, Walla Walla, Wash.

George Purkhiser, English, Ind.

John Rheinfrank, Port Chester, N. Y.

Jacob Robitach, Litzburg, St. Louis County, Mo.

Chas. A. Rollins, Hillsboro, Ore.

Oscar Rubenstein, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Chas. Ruby, Oshkosh, Wis.

Corbett Shoopman, Clarksville, Ark.

Ferdinand Skala, Milwaukee, Wis.

Robt. Smeltzer, Perryville, Md.

Chas. L. Strong, Goodwater, Ia.

Walter Verla, New York, N. Y.

Wm. F. Robinson, Brockton, Mass.

Michael E. Rose, Norristown, Pa.

Raymond Gardner Sawyer, Fort Scott, Kas.

Jos. R. Shaffer, Doylestown, Pa.

George Shinn, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Wm. Abe Shinn, Dayton, O.

Angelo Sknurt, Miners Mill, Pa.

Frank T. Sisco, Paterson, N. J.

Clifton V. Smith, Hagerman, N. M.

Carl G. Squires, Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Charles Lee Stinner, Sandridge, Va.

Arthur W. Stockman, Springbrook, Ore.

Jas. Tyson, Barrettstown, Pa.

Vincent Charles Walker, Ladysmith, Wis.

John Williams, New Britain, Pa.

Morris Wolper, New York, N. Y.

Jas. R. Wood, Lumberville, Pa.

Chas. Fred Yates, Fatesboro, Pa.

Francis Zechlin, Anderson, Mass.

MISSING IN ACTION

Privates

May E. Gordon, Hastings, Pa.

Jos. O. Gross, Culbertson, Mont.

Bert A. Nordblad, South Bend, Ind.

Paul Wagnenbaum, Tularosa, N. M.

Samuel A. Williams, Brooklyn, N. Y.

DIED FROM AIRPLANE ACCIDENTS

Lieut. Stuart E. Edgar, Newark, N. J.

Corporal Ray J. Peters, Lakeview, Ore.

Section Two, Army List

KILLED IN ACTION

Captain Meade Friserson, Jr., Nash-ville, Tenn.

Lieutenants

Henry W. Gundlach, New York, N. Y.

Paul K. O'Donnell, Wilmington, Del.

Sergeant Wilbur R. Chapman, Mesa, Ariz.

Corporals

Glen E. Becher, Kankasku, Mich.

Richard D. Eastman, Lawrence, Mich.

Ross Raymond Ellis, Allouez, Mich.

John L. Fisher, Lancaster, Tenn.

Max Hiegemann, New York, N. Y.

Wm. Ferdinand Gietzen, Warren, Mich.

Cecil M. Hendricks, Duke, Okla.

Frank L. Pitterle, Waterloo, Wis.

Wm. D. Tidwell, Titus, Ala.

Jacob H. Wolf, St. Louis, Mo.

Cook John H. Bradley, Barnes, N. Y.

Privates

Ross H. Alley, Leesville, Texas.

Wm. E. Anderson, Canton, O.

Reinhart W. Books, Massillon, O.

Henry D. Brudbury, Keene, N. H.

Michael J. Brice, Cleveland, O.

Max J. Baker, Pierre, S. Dak.

Fred Arthur Burkland, Barronett, Wis.

Rudd Wm. Clark, Mesota, Mich.

Louis M. Crast, Emigrant, Mont.

Henry Davis, Manistique, Mich.

Adolph Demel, St. Paul, Minn.

Charles Fanner, Pleasant, Mich.

Stanley G. Fox, Kentwood, Fla.

Curly G. Gardner, Johnson City, Tenn.

Frank Hart, Chicago, Ill.

Clarence Hawkins, Huntington, Ind.

Arthur Leonard Johnson, Bowland, Conn.

Henry H. Jones, Brownsville, Texas.

Alva Kaufman, Milwaukee, Wis.

Harry L. Kelly, Tremont, Pa.

Samuel W. Keller, Jr., Hurley, Ark.

Chas. D. McCallum, Purdy, Mo.

Donald C. McCallum, Portland, Ore.

Cecil Mole, Corona, Mich.

Wm. L. Murrin, Greenville, Pa.

Clarence J. Ooss, Michigan City, Ind.

Fred Devalis Ramm, Allentown, Ill.

Carl Raymond, Columbus, Mich.

Edw. V. Reisz, Jr., New York, N. Y.

Leo J. Slivinski, Detroit, Mich.

Jas. T. Stouler, Southend, Wash.

Levi S. Tenny, Jr., New York, N. Y.

John P. H. Williamson, Marble Falls, Texas.

Richard F. Woodward, Westchester, Pa.

DIED FROM WOUNDS

Lieutenant Colonel James A. Shannon, Cheyenne, Wyo.

Corporals

John J. Butler, Superior, Wis.

Alvin Schroeder, Bellevue, Iowa.

Emil Wischer, Monticello, Wis.

Lee Woods, Belfast, N. Y.

Wm. Zimlars, W. Depue, Wis.

Mechanic Bernard Daly, South St. Marie, Mich.

Privates

Robert G. Beach, New Albany, Ind.

James Brennan, Blackville, S. C.

Jos. Clougherty, New York, N. Y.

Francis W. Goffe, Arlington, Mass.

John D. Collins, Cerin, Ark.

Wm. F. Hill, Covington, N. Y.

George A. Johnson, Kenavance, Ill.

Theodore H. Kruse, Reedsburg, Wis.

Wilson Newton, Leighton, Ky.

Cumbee Pace, Saluda, N. C.

Rayford Patton, Nacomi, Ky.

Osby Rhodes, Paines, W. Va.

Robert Smith, West Haven, Conn.

Sam M. Pernum, Chicago, Ill.

Kenneth S. Wells, Orfordville, Wis.

DIED FROM ACCIDENT AND OTHER CAUSES



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CHESTER H. ROWELL, Editor and Manager

## DOCTOR'S INCOMES.

The most exciting question about health insurance seems to be, "How much money would the doctor make?" The various camouflaged organizations of medical men who are appealing to the public and to their patients to vote against the measure, make no other argument in their "confidential" circulars and appeals for campaign funds, among themselves, than the claim that they would make less money, and they have now even begun to put this argument forward in their appeals to the people.

Frankly, we do not think the general public is much worried over this aspect of the case, or will be much affected by frankly appeals from the doctors based on nothing but the fear that medical service will become cheaper. Most people think doctors' bills and doctors' incomes are high enough already.

But in this attitude, the people are mistaken. Doctors ought to make money, and the people ought to wish to pay enough to guarantee that they will do so. The best way to assure continued good service for the public health is to pay well for it.

It is therefore of interest to the public, as well as to the profession, to know that this is exactly what Health Insurance will do.

Health Insurance in England pays the British doctors more than they used to get, before the insurance law, but not enough to satisfy the proper standards of California doctors.

In England, the doctors receive \$2 a year for each insured worker on his panel, and nothing, unless he can get it in fees, from the families of the insured. This is little enough, but it is twice as much as the "Friendly Societies" were paying to the majority of the profession before the act went into effect.

The result, in England, has been an increase of from \$1,000 to \$2,500 a year in the average net incomes of physicians, mostly from a practice which they formerly did for nothing.

In California, we propose to do better than that. Setting aside \$6 a year per person (including other members of the family) for medical attention, it is proposed to use \$1 of this for specialists, diagnostic centers and hospital attendance. This leaves \$5 a year per person, for the general practitioner, as against \$2 per insured worker (not per person) in England. Allowing only two to the family, this is five times the English rate, or, if families average four, it is ten times the English rate.

A doctor could have up to 2,000 persons on his "panel." This would give him a guaranteed income of \$1,000 a year, from the wage-earning part of his patients earning \$1,500 a year (at present war-time wages) or less, with whatever additional he could make out of his practice among others. If he had only 500 persons (one or two hundred families), his income from this part of his practice would be \$2,500 a year—and this \$2,500 in coin; not in notes and unpaid bills. This is more than doctors of corresponding practices make and collect now.

A San Francisco doctor writes to the Bulletin that "more doctors would get from \$200 to \$400 a year than any other sum." This means that most doctors have from forty to eighty persons, earning \$1,800 a year or less, or perhaps ten to twenty families, who are so far their patients that they call them in when sick, and would designate them, if they designated anybody, as "their doctor." Of course this is preposterous. No doctor is a doctor at all, or can regard himself as practicing medicine, who does not have a great deal more than ten or twenty families who habitually look to him.

The newest fledgling from the medical college, who may now have no practice at all, would have more than this automatically assigned to him, from those who designated no choice of their own, and every doctor of any acquaintance or experience would have from a comfortable to a liberal income, assured him without worry, from this part of his practice alone.

Don't be frightened about the doctor's income. He will get plenty. And don't let him bluff you into voting for a measure for the public health, and for your own protection, out of pity for him.

## DON'T WORRY.

This epidemic, as a public problem, is serious, and must be taken seriously. This epidemic, as a personal problem, is nothing to worry about. Don't worry.

These two attitudes of mind are perfectly consistent—public concern and personal cheerful indifference.

Out of 350 persons, about 35 are going to get the influenza. Of these, about six are going to have pneumonia or other serious complications, and one of these is going to die. Assuming Fresno to have even so little as 55,000 population, this is a hundred such groups—350 deaths, and 3500 cases. Doubtless we shall have more than that. It is a serious thing, to be taken seriously. In fact, it is so serious that it has already killed more American soldiers in cantonments at home, than the Germans have killed in France.

But individually, the odds are so strong in each case in favor of escape that the risk is not worth worrying about—ten to one against getting it at all, and 350 to 1 against dying of it. And remember that of deaths are 101.

things we are in the habit of worrying about. Life is a dangerous business at best, and sooner or later it gets us all. The "flu" may catch you, and it may kill you—but so may the next automobile coming down the street. That is a good reason for looking sharp, when you are crossing the street, and for passing traffic laws, but it is not a reason for worrying about the risk of death involved; and, in fact, nobody does so worry. The same thing is true of the "flu." It is a good reason for wearing a mask, and for enforcing sanitary and isolation regulations, but it is not a reason for personal worry. The only reason people worry about this risk, and do not about others, is that this one is unfamiliar, while we have got used to the others. We worried about automobiles, too, when they were new.

And there is a very good reason of health, as well as the obvious one of good sense, for not worrying. It is a medical fact that worry actually reduces resistance. If you worry, and are afraid, you are more likely to be infected, and the disease is more likely to be serious. Worry and fear do not cause disease, as some cults tell us, except in certain cases of extremely suggestible and hypochondriac persons. But they do lower resistance, and open the door to infection from physical causes which the physical resources of the body might otherwise have resisted.

So, be careful!

But don't worry!

## HOW FEAR WORKS.

The San Francisco Bulletin, which does not believe that disease exists, or that medicine or medical care cure, refers to a warning against worry from the health board as "epochal." "For, perhaps, the first time in history, the public is officially warned by the medical staff of a municipal hospital that fear of a disease is a serious pathological agent." "Hitherto we have been told by our medical advisers that the theory of medical influence upon 'matter' was all bosh." "Imagination as a serious factor in the production of human distempers has hitherto been pooh-poohed."

All of which is, of course, only another example of the common phenomenon of a cult arrogating to itself the specialized monopoly of a common-place of medical science.

This warning that fear and worry increases epidemics is not "new" or "epochal"—it has been the commonest utterance of medical science, in all epidemics, ever since disease began to be actually observed and its causes understood.

Take this influenza, for instance. Its causative agent is a microbe, a visible, cultivable, living creature, as real as a toadstool, or a rattlesnake, and poisonous in the same way. This is a physical fact. This bacterium, planted on favorable soil in the human body, grows and multiplies, like any other weed, until its numbers are enormous. In its growth, it produces certain chemical products which disturb the normal chemical processes of the body, and thereby poison it. If the disturbance is serious, we are sick; if it is too serious, we die. But our complex cellular organism has means of producing other chemical substances, which neutralize the products of the influenza germ, and finally kill or paralyze the germ itself. In about nine persons out of ten, these chemicals are produced in sufficient amount to make that person's body an unfavorable soil for the growth of the influenza germ. These are naturally immune, except to some overwhelming quantity of infection. In the tenth person, the system has to be aroused, to produce an additional amount of these chemicals. The germ at first multiplies the faster, and the patient is sicker. If the "antibodies" are then produced in sufficient amount, he recovers; otherwise he dies.

All these facts are physical, and the disease which they constitute is a real thing—as real as Johnson grass or phylloxera.

But the processes of producing these anti-bodies are regulated by the nerve filaments, and these, in turn, are affected by the emotional state, through its manifestation in the brain. Fear and worry thus affect the course of the body, just as they do the course of an automobile or aeroplane, when guided by muscles under control of the same unsteady nerves. The disease processes are as physical as the aeroplane engine's explosions; spiritual factors affect them both through the same physical intermediaries.

There is nothing new about this; neither does it call for any mystical explanation. There is nothing mysterious about it—except the fundamental mystery of life itself. And that is as mysterious in health as in disease; in the things which we "understand" as in the things whose modus operandi we have not yet learned.

## GERMANS TO RETURN NOTED ART WORKS

LONDON, Oct. 24.—Valuable works of art belonging to museums and private owners in the regions of Cambrai, Douai and Valenciennes, now in the hands of the Germans, will be returned unaltered to their owners after the war. This announcement is made in a German government wireless message received here.

These works of art have, under the orders of the supreme army command, been sent to a place of safety, to save them from destruction by bombardment, the message says.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Jesse Willard, heavyweight champion of the world, has accepted an invitation to appear in an exhibition bout for the benefit of the United War Work campaign. The match, dated Wichita Falls, Texas, reads:

"Will gladly box for war work campaign."

## Fresno's Yesterdays

Taken From the Files of the FRESNO REPUBLICAN

## Forty Years Ago

A man came to town this week and billed for a show. His bills represented a double entertainment, and the whole to conclude with a free dance. He had a very poor house, and there being but a few ladies present, there was no dancing without the aid of himself, as they left as soon as the show was over. We are informed it was a weak affair.

There will be a debate at the Free Reading Room tonight. The subject under consideration is "Resolved that Christopher Columbus deserves more credit for the discovery of America, than George Washington does for defending it." Every body invited to attend.

A company of Danes are reported to be examining and making inquiries in regard to land in this county with a view to starting a colony.

## Twenty Years Ago

NAHER-MACY.—Two young people joined in wedlock.—G. Naher and Miss Gerie M. Macy were married in this city Tuesday afternoon and left for San Francisco yesterday to spend their honeymoon. The wedding was a quiet affair, only the intimate friends of the bride and groom being present. Rev. W. H. Martin performed the ceremony. Mr. Naher is a well known jeweler and Miss Macy is an accomplished young lady prominent in social circles. The many friends of the couple in and around Fresno wish them a long and happy life.

## Ten Years Ago

The Veterans Firemen's Association of Fresno held its monthly meeting last evening and talked over old times and received welcome tidings from members who are away from Fresno. The organization has wound out its first year of existence, and in celebration of it next month will have a smoker reunion and refreshments. The present association is officered with W. J. Lennett as president, Tim Walton as vice-president, I. L. Alvord as treasurer and Charles S. Ward as secretary. The association has headquarters in the city hall in the room intended for the park commission and there has a growing collection of mementoes of the days of the volunteer fire department.

## PLANES TERRIFY RHINE VALLEY

LONDON, (Correspondence of The Associated Press).—A belt of the Rhine valley, roughly 250 miles long, from Cologne in the north to the Grand Duchy of Baden in the south, a region crowded with war industries and intersected by a railway system of vital importance to the German army in France, is now a definite part of the war zone. This is one of the most striking and significant developments of the Allied campaign and how big are its possibilities may be gauged by the vast damage both physical and moral already inflicted upon the enemy. It is the achievement of the Royal Air Force.

Over that region in the last three months the airmen, operating day and night, have made 248 raids, dropping 207 tons of bombs upon enemy railway centers, munition works, poison gas factories, electrical and engineering plants, blast furnaces, aerodromes, and other important military objectives.

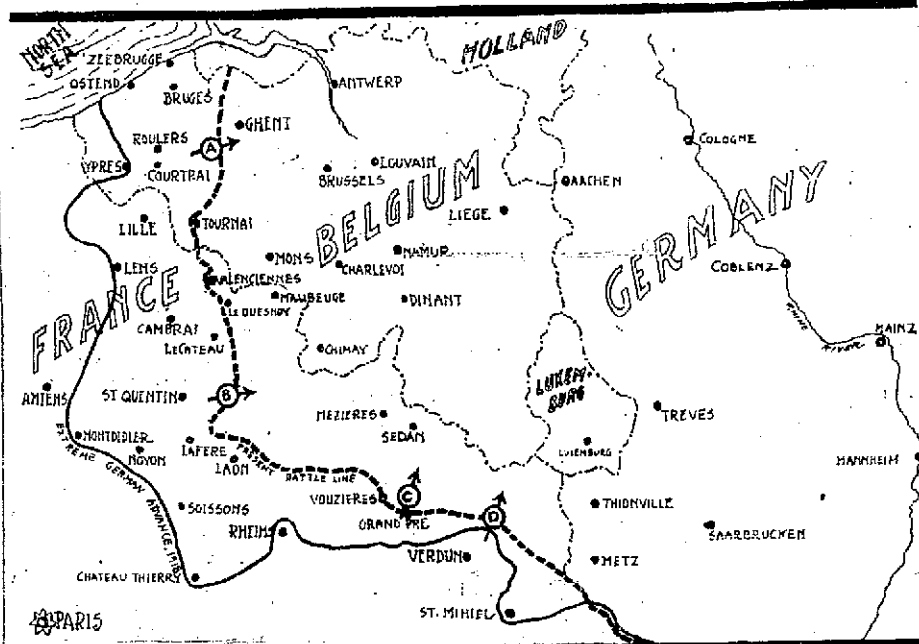
The effects of these raids have been of incalculable benefit to the Allies. One of the first was the compulsory withdrawal by the Germans of a large number of their airplanes from the fighting front for the defense of the Rhine.

But a greater gain has been the profound and widespread depression caused to the German people, the "home front," to use the phrase of Ludendorff. Captured letters from places as widely separated as Mannheim and Cologne testify to the terror and panic inspired by the raids among the civil population. Well-to-do families, in increasing numbers, are seeking the temporary security of more distant inland towns. There are indications that the flight of the wealthy is causing intense resentment among working population who being for the most part engaged in war industries, are exposed to almost nightly danger from the raiders.

But the terror of the German population is not confined to the territory actually added to the war zone. It exists throughout the country, particularly in far distant Berlin where preparations already have been made to defend the city against raids.

NEWS PUBLISHER DIES.  
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 24.—William James Murphy, publisher of the Minneapolis Tribune, died today in Chicago, according to a telegram received here tonight.

## SWEEPING BACK THE GERMAN INVADERS TOWARD THE RHINE



While the Allied armies in Flanders have made wonderful progress in the last two weeks, inspection of the map shows that, should the Germans continue resistance, there is still a long road to travel before even the Rhine is reached, to say nothing of Berlin.

Of the territory to the west of the Rhine, that lying northward of Saarbrücken is, generally speaking, German, while that south is French. It has been unofficially announced, however, that not only Metz, but all the important Rhine fortresses, including Coblenz and Mainz, will have to be placed in the hands of the Allies as protection against any treachery from Berlin during the proposed armistice.

In the map above, the racial division in the present Allied fighting line is marked off by arrows. Marshal Haig and the British, with American forces brigaded with them, cover the front from A to B; General Petain and the French, with some Americans, B to C; Americans, under Pershing, C to D; French and Americans, acting as special fighting forces under direction of Marshal Foch as generalissimo, from A to the Holland border. Under the present arrangement, however, the Allied frontage is unified, as regards responsibility, and Marshal Foch sends his reserve forces of whatever nationality, wherever needed.

While a comparatively small fraction of Belgium has as yet been redeemed from German control, it is sufficiently large to rejoice Belgian national spirit, and the government has been removed from exile in Havre, France, to Bruges, in Belgian territory.

## HERO OF BRITISH NAVAL ATTACK ON HUN DIVER BASE



BRITAIN OFFICER.  
LIEUTENANT H. T. O. WALKER  
Of the Royal Navy, who was the hero of the famous British naval attack on Zeppelins, Lieut. Walker, who was an officer of H. M. S. Vindictive, had his arm blown off during the landing of the British sailors and marines on the mole. He is expected in this country shortly to fill an appointment with the British Bureau of Information.

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## CZECH VICTORY ON OCTOBER 21

Coincides With Date of Birth in Exile of New Nation

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, Oct. 24.—(By the Associated Press).—October 21, the newest of national fest days, will in years to come be celebrated, not only in central Europe as the anniversary of the birth in exile of the Czech-Slovak government, but also at Terson-Sur-Alzonne, in France, as the date of the first victory of the Czech-Slovak army.

Units of this latest arrival of the hells, in this war, fighting with General Gouraud in the Vosges, received news of the constitution of the Czech-Slovak government at noon, October 21. Immediately afterward they went forward to assault one of the most difficult positions along the Alsace and took the village of Terson at the point of the bayonet.

These troops had been in line for six days in a particularly trying sector, drenched by continual rains, wallowing in mud and wading through the flooded region along the river. In front of them, the Germans were strongly entrenched and fortified in the village of Terson with their usual heavy armament of machine guns.

A wild burst of enthusiasm greeted the announcement by the colonel in command of the formation of the Czech-Slovak government, after which the men listened in impressive silence to the colonel's exhortations.

"Your colonel counts upon every man to do his utmost to salute the constitution of the government by a victory," he said.

guns, the emplacement of which could only be guessed.

The line became thinner and thinner as it went on, but the survivors, inspired by the example of Captains Sibille and Cieslik and Lieutenants Pille and Zetion, continued on to the first houses in the village without faltering. An hour later the entire position was in their hands.

The village had been conquered in a fierce house-to-house hand-to-hand fight, in the course of which the German gunners who stuck desperately to their posts, were bayoneted on their guns. The survivors of the garrison were in small proportion to the dead that lay on the ground.

## COMPLICATIONS IN TEXAS DRY LAW

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 24.—In a warning issued tonight, B. F. Looney, attorney-general of Texas, advised railroad operating in the state that the decision of the court of criminal appeals, which yesterday held the state-wide prohibition law to be unconstitutional, did not permit them to transport and deliver liquor inside the state.

In his warning he declared that the decision of the high court was applicable only to that section of the statute which prohibits the sale of liquor and that none of the other sections of the statute were affected by the decision. He warned the carriers that injunctions issued several months ago under the provisions of the law prohibiting railroads from transporting or delivering liquors within the borders of the state still were in force.

Another development in the controversy which has developed as the result of the decision of the high court came with a decision of Judge George Calhoun, sitting in the district court here. Judge Calhoun made permanent injunctions which prohibited sale of liquors within ten miles of a military camp under the section of the state-wide law establishing ten-mile dry zones around military camps or shipbuilding establishments.

EL PASO, Texas, Oct. 24.—John Ford, who opened a saloon at Vinton, Texas, yesterday three hours after the Texas state-wide prohibition law was declared unconstitutional, was arrested late today on a charge of operating his saloon without a license.

## BRUGES, REDEEMED FROM HUNS



An incident in the tremendous drive that the Allied forces are making against the Boche is the capture of a large portion of the Lille salient, including many large towns and a score of smaller villages. Photo shows a general view of the town of Bruges that was captured yesterday in the Entente drive following up the German's continued retreat.

## STRAUSS CONFIRMED.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—The nomination of Albert Strauss of New York as a member of the federal reserve board, was confirmed today by the Senate without opposition.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Alfred Franklin of Phoenix, Ariz., was nominated today by President Wilson to be collector of internal revenue for the district of New Mexico, succeeding Lewis T. Carpenter, resigned.

## TO SPEND MILLION ON CAMP KEARNY

Size of Cantonments to Be Increased by One-Third

CAMP KEARNY, San Diego, Oct. 24.—Enlargement of this camp by one-third was authorized by telegraphic instructions from Washington received today. It is estimated that the work in contemplation will entail an expenditure of \$1,000,000. Work of leveling an area at the west end of the camp will begin tomorrow morning. This area will be approximately one-half mile by three quarters of a mile in extent, and is to provide space for 9,000 artillery men composing the 171st field artillery brigade, an organization separate from the Sixteenth division. A part of the organization has been in camp here for several months.

Work will begin tomorrow morning, under the direction of Captain F. M. Billings, construction quartermaster.

ter, the John Roberts company having the work in charge. It is hoped that the work will be completed by Christmas, although this will depend, it is said, largely on the receipt of materials and the supply of labor.

Six million feet of lumber, it is estimated, will be required for the mess halls, stables, and warehouses which the enlargement will make necessary. The increased number of men contemplated for the camp by the additional brigade of artillery, will make necessary an enlargement of the base hospital already in a large institution with sixty buildings, situated at the northwest end of camp and not far from the site of the new work.

The Federal labor bureau will furnish a large part of the unskilled workmen for the grading and other rough work, and already a call has been made for five hundred to start in tomorrow morning.

PAUL WEST DISAPPEARS.  
PARIS, Oct. 24.—Paul West, a New York writer, who came to France as a Red Cross worker, has disappeared. His cup was found on a bridge. With it were two cards. One was addressed to Captain B. T. Townsend and on the other was written in French: "When this is found I shall be dead." West's health had been bad.

## What Do You Know About Pianos?

Assuming that you can "tell a good tone," can you judge the hundred and one things which enter into the making of a Piano, the things which play their part in making and maintaining a good tone? Do you know the differences in plate and scale design? Are you familiar with the various "actions"? Are you a judge of the wood, the wire, the felt, the veneers, and all the other materials which enter into the making of a Piano?

Probably not—not one person in a thousand possesses this expert knowledge. After all, when buying a Piano you depend greatly upon the expertness and integrity of the Dealer.

Then let your greatest care be the selection of the Piano Dealer. Tell that Dealer or Piano House what you would like, and what you can afford, and they will guide your selection of a Piano with expert judgment and a sincere desire to serve you well.

Beware of a "cheap piano"—in the end it is the most expensive. Avoid the alluring offers of some dealers—they are but pitfalls to catch the unwary. Protect yourself by going to a Piano House with a reputation for integrity and fair dealing—you will never regret it.

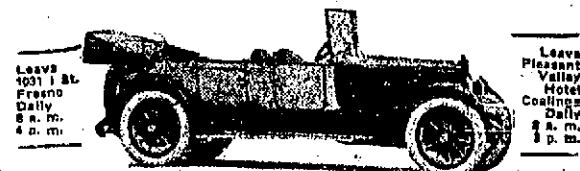
Dealers in Steinway and other Pianos, Pianola Pianos, Victrolas and Records, Player Music, Musical Instruments, Sheet Music.

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## SENDING RULES ARE SUMMARIZED

Postmaster Hughes Tells  
How to Send Xmas Par-  
cels to "Our Boys"

The War Department is desirous that each man serving in the American expeditionary forces in Europe shall receive a remembrance from home at Christmas time, and advises that because of transportation and distribution difficulties, but one parcel of standard size and weight can be sent to each. To this end arrangements have been made with the War Department whereby Christmas parcels may be mailed to members of the American expeditionary forces in Europe under the following conditions, according to Postmaster Hughes:

1. Each soldier or other member of the American expeditionary forces in Europe will be allowed to receive one Christmas parcel, for which purpose the parcel must be sent by the army channels, the name of the person designated to mail the parcel. The labels will be prepared to serve as address labels for the parcels. The label furnished each soldier or other member of the American expeditionary forces will be sent by him to the person who is to mail the Christmas parcel. No Christmas parcel for members of the expeditionary forces in Europe will be accepted for transmission without such label.

2. All Christmas parcels must be of standard size, 3 inches by 4 inches by 4 inches, and shall not exceed 3 pounds in weight, for which purpose cartons of the size prescribed will be distributed through the local Red Cross chapters throughout the country. No person will be furnished a carton except upon presentation of a "Christmas Parcel Label" received from abroad.

3. The parcels must contain no prohibited or unmarketable articles. Perishable food products are not permitted.

4. After the cartons have been filled by the person who receives them, they shall be returned to a Red Cross receiving station, where inspectors appointed by the Red Cross will carefully examine each parcel and determine whether or not the affixing of the "Christmas Parcel Label" and the necessary postage stamps, the latter to be furnished by the sender of the parcel. When the parcels have thus been examined and wrapped in the prescribed manner, the local Red Cross will affix to each parcel a certificate in the form of a seal showing that the parcel has been inspected and contains no prohibited or unmarketable matter. Such certificate will be forwarded by the local Red Cross to the War Department as evidence that the parcels conform to the conditions prescribed and obviate the necessity of subsequent examination. The parcels must be left at the Red Cross receiving stations, which will deposit them in the mails for dispatch.

5. Christmas parcels must bear the name and address of the sender and will be addressed substantially as follows:

"Christmas Box Department,  
Port of Embarkation, Hoboken,  
New Jersey  
For  
Organization  
American Expeditionary Forces."

Parcels so addressed will be chargeable at fourth class or parcel post zone rate applicable between the office where mailed and Hoboken, N. J., to be prepaid by stamps affixed.

6. Parcels may bear inscription such as "Please do not open until Christmas," "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," "With Best Wishes," and the like.

7. In order to assure the arrival of Christmas parcels abroad and the delivery to the addressees by Christmas all such parcels must be mailed on or before November 20, 1918.

The foregoing does not in any way change the instructions heretofore issued regarding the acceptance of parcels up to 7 pounds in weight for members of the expeditionary forces in Europe which contain articles sent in response to the written request of a member approved by his regimental commander or other officer authorized to approve such requests.

The Navy Department has advised that parcels intended for officers and men on United States naval vessels in home waters and abroad or stationed at naval bases or stations in foreign waters should conform to the following conditions:

1. Parcels may not exceed 20 pounds in weight and must be so prepared for mailing that the contents can be readily examined. Substantial boxes or other suitable containers should be used.

2. The parcels must bear the name and address of the sender in the upper left hand corner of the address side and be addressed in the following manner:

(a) Name of addressee in full, together with his rank or rating.  
(b) The designation of vessel or station or naval base to which addressee is attached.

(c) "Care of Supply Officer, Fleet Supply Base, 29th street and Third Avenue, Rush Terminal Station, Brooklyn, New York."

(d) The words "Christmas Box" or "Christmas Present."

3. Parcels prepared and addressed in accordance with the foregoing will be chargeable with postage at the fourth class or parcel post zone rate applicable between postoffice where mailed and Brooklyn, New York.

4. No perishable food products other than those packed in tin containers should be inclosed in Christmas parcels.

5. Parcels may bear inscriptions such as "Please do not open until Christmas," "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," "With Best Wishes," and the like; also the names and quantities of articles inclosed together with such other marks or words as may be necessary "for purpose of description" of the articles.

6. Christmas parcels for naval officers and men should be mailed as soon as possible so as to reach Rush Terminal Station not later than November 15, 1918.

## HOMER HATFIELD HAS PNEUMONIA

Homer Hatfield, son of G. A. Hatfield, freight agent of the Santa Fe company, is dangerously ill with broncho-pneumonia at the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell, N. M. A telegram from the authorities to his father yesterday morning stated the boy's condition was gradually getting worse, and Mr. Hatfield left at once for Roswell. He will arrive there Saturday. Mrs. Hatfield is already at the bedside of her son.

Young Hatfield was in the military school when the new draft law went into effect. He is now in the service. The Spanish influenza is reported to have attacked more than 100 of the boys in the school. A publisher telegram yesterday morning saying his condition was improved.

## FRESNO REAL ESTATE FRESNO PROPERTY CHANGES HANDS

The following sales are reported by Lambert & Wakefield:

Joe Blahuta bought a house from Wm. Wakefield on 11 street.

Mrs. Mary S. Lucas purchased the new bungalow of W. P. Sharr at 1475 Wilson Avenue, for a home.

V. H. Wallace sold a bungalow on Roosevelt Avenue to J. H. Ingle, who recently moved to Fresno from the southern part of the state.

C. Q. Young exchanged two pieces of Fresno city property for a twenty-acre improved ranch on the Barstow road. The country property is improved to olives, figs, alfalfa and has a nice set of buildings. Francis Vlaschaert was the owner of the farm and acquired the two houses in Fresno.

## RANCH HOUSE BURNED DOWN

Fire believed to have been caused by defective flue completely destroyed the foreman's cottage on Rogers vineyard about 7 o'clock last evening. The house was occupied by John Gledy and family, who were at their evening meal when the fire started. Beside the residence which contained about half a dozen rooms, most of the household effects were consumed in the flames. The family escaped. The damage to the property is estimated to be about \$3500. A number of nearby cottonwood trees were also singed by the flames. Every effort was made to save the building, but owing to the dry state of the material and inadequate facilities, the fire soon got beyond control.

## EPIDEMIC STOPS REALTY TRAFFIC

House sales in Fresno are at a standstill, owing to the epidemic of "flu." Few prospective buyers or agents care to enter the houses, and the householders are showing a tendency to be strict about possible contagion from outside. Consequently, according to J. P. Wright, there can be little realty business.

He reports a few sales for the week as follows:

C. J. Clark sold a half acre on Channing Ave. to Nina Borders.

F. Hoising has sold his house at 1257 Wilson Ave. to Mrs. Eva O. Chaffee.

James Quinn has purchased a house at 2819 Thomas Ave. from John A. Peterson.

G. A. Gunter sold to Carl C. Allen his house at 353 Bond St.

STAMFORD WHITE DIES.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—A. Stamford White, president of the Chicago Board of Trade, died today of pneumonia, superinduced by Spanish influenza.

Mr. White was responsible for the recently adopted custom of the board of holding trading at noon for a minute of silent prayer for victory in the war. He was 67 years old and had been ill three weeks.

## SOLDIER PARCEL RULES REPEATED

Mail Restrictions Do Not  
Apply to Packages Sent  
to Training Camps

Owing to the many requests for information received daily regarding packages for soldiers, marines, and sailors in active service as well as for those still in the training camps, Postmaster Hughes has compiled a complete summary of the rules governing mail matter for men in service. It is suggested by authorities that the following rules be kept by persons interested for future reference.

Packages containing articles, including books, cannot be sent to any member of the American expeditionary forces in Europe except upon the approved request of the addressee. The addressee's request for articles must be approved by his regimental or higher commander. The weight limit for such parcels is seven pounds and the postage chargeable is twelve cents per pound.

Christmas parcels for the forces in France can only be sent through the Red Cross. Christmas parcels need not be accompanied by an approval request, but in lieu thereof must be accompanied by a Christmas parcel label which will be sent to the nearest relative by the soldier for this purpose. Christmas parcels are limited to one for each member of the expeditionary forces, but contrary to the general impression there is no limit in the number of parcels that can be sent to any one individual if the sender has the approved request of the individual.

Neither Christmas labels nor approved requests are necessary in order to send parcels to the members of the expeditionary forces in Siberia. The weight limits are seven pounds for each parcel and the postage is twelve cents per pound. This condition might change any day but thus far the restrictions placed on mail for Europe have not been extended in their entirety to the Siberian mail matter.

The same restrictions that govern mail for members of the expeditionary forces in the army applies to sailors and marines if their address is care of the American expeditionary forces, otherwise the restrictions do not apply. For instance, ordinary parcels sent to officers and men on board United States naval vessels or attached to naval bases, when addressed in care of the postmaster, New York, N. Y., and not in care of the expeditionary forces in France need not be accompanied by an approved order and such parcels may weigh not more than 20 pounds each, the postage thereon being 12 cents per pound.

Christmas parcels, however, for men on U. S. vessels in home waters and abroad or stationed at naval bases or stations in foreign waters should be addressed "care of supply officer, Fleet Supply, 29th street and Third Avenue, Rush Terminal Station, Brooklyn, N. Y."

Christmas parcels for naval officers should be mailed as soon as possible so as to reach Rush Terminal not later than November 15.

Neither do the restrictions apply to parcels intended for members of the training camps. Anyone may send parcels to the boys in the training camps, care being taken not to include perishable articles. Any number of parcels may be sent, books included, and the weight limit is 70 pounds for the first, second and third zones, and 50 pounds for all other zones. The postage chargeable at the zone rates. No approved request is needed nor is it necessary to have a Christmas label.

Postmaster Hughes asks that the following points be remembered by friends and relatives preparing to send Christmas parcels:

1.—Christmas or ordinary parcels cannot be sent to a member of the expeditionary forces in Europe without a Christmas label or an approved request. Weight limit, 7 pounds.

2.—No restriction on mail matter to members of expeditionary forces in Siberia. Weight limit, 7 pounds.

3.—No restrictions on matter to sailors and marines unless their address be care American expeditionary forces in Europe (in which event army regulations apply); weight limit, 20 pounds.

4.—No restrictions to boys in training camps other than the usual prohibition of the postal department.

5.—Mail parcels for boys in France, England and Italy at Red Cross receiving station. All others at the post office.

6.—Perishable, inflammable and fragile articles, not permitted.

## Twa Mouthfu's o' Naething

O-me-O-my-O-me!  
Romance is dead.  
Th' dreams o' me youth  
Are as nocht.  
As th' poet says:  
Here I've been,  
Me whole life lang,  
Readin' braw tales  
An' lookin' at pictures  
O' lassies  
Ower in Turkey  
Or some sic place.  
Wi th' e'es o' them  
Glancin' saft glances  
At th' passerby  
Whilst th' rest  
O' their faces  
Were a' covered oop:  
It seemed tae me  
I could just smell romance—  
Th' odors o' th' Orient  
An' gleamin' scimeters  
An' th' howstring  
An' th' bul-bul bird  
An' swift camels  
An' hasty lunches.  
At some oasis in th' desert,  
Thot consisted  
O' a handfu' o' dates  
An' a swig o' asses' milk  
An' a sandstorm  
An' th' clearin' awa'  
O' th' whirlin' torment  
In th' sight o' Arabs  
An' th' distance  
An' th' rapid escape  
On me ship o' th' desert.  
An' th' arrival  
Amongst British troops  
Where Kaloola,  
Me fair young bride,  
Swooned in me arms  
An' pressed her saft lips  
Tae me ain.  
O, I tell ye, folk,  
I've hied me dreams  
Wi th' best o' them.  
But it's a' ower noo.  
Fir th' next time  
Thot I stert  
Tae think o' sic thing—  
Th' priceless veil

Ower th' face  
Will becom a thickness  
Or maybe twa.  
O' cheesecloth  
Soakin' wi antiseptics.  
An' th' saft, red lips  
Will be reservoirs  
O' "flu" germs.  
An' th' velvet tones  
O' her low voice  
Will remind me  
O' a sore throat:  
An' mair than that,  
Whit chance hes romance  
When these her  
Modern imitations  
O' a Turkish dream  
Are put on an' worn  
Be lads wi scrawny necks  
An' breakfast signs  
On their westcoats  
An' wrinkled faces:  
This here "flu"  
Has taken a th' joy  
Out o' me life:  
I walk out on th' streets  
An' instead o' romance  
An' beautifu' dreams  
Choggin' oop me hert  
I'm tryin' tae remember  
If I washed me hands  
More I ate me dinner  
An' suld I hand me head  
Awa' frae some frien'  
I see cumin'  
An' hae I plenty  
O' Doebell's Solution  
An' did I boil  
Me atomizer  
Efter I used it laist  
An' whit guide is it  
Fir doctors tae recommend  
Th' drinkin' o' whuskey  
Fir th' disease  
When th' price o' whuskey  
Is forty cents a drink?  
Atween this last fact  
An' th' spoilin'  
O' a me dreams,  
I'm in a mighty bad fix.  
Yir Frien',  
SCOTTY.

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## ALFRED DREW DIES.

Word was received here yesterday of the death of Alfred Drew, from influenza, which occurred on Tuesday night.

Young Drew was well known here, having lived here for the past year and a half, and had been in the employ of the First National Bank most of his time. He resigned his position about a month ago and entered the aviation school at Berkeley. He is a nephew of A. M. Drew, and leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Drew, of Olds, Alberta, Canada, and one brother, who is with the American forces in France. Burial will probably be in the Liberty cemetery here Saturday.

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## Have You an Ample Supply of Bedding?

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|--|---|
| —Sheet Blankets \$3.19   | —Auto Robes   |
| —In white, gray or tan, size 68x76, tomorrow at our low price \$3.19     | —All wool auto robes in beautiful plaids ..... \$12.75                          |
| —Sheet Blankets  | —Robe Blankets  |
| —Nashua sheet blankets, size 68x80, white, gray and tan ..... \$3.98     | —Beacon bathrobe blankets with cords to match ..... \$4.59                      |
| —Nashua woolen blankets, look and feel like wool, size 64x76             | —Traveling Rugs   |
| —Woolnap Blankets  | —Beacon traveling rugs and comfortable, plaids and floral patterns ..... \$5.69 |
| —White, gray and tan ..... \$4.69  | —Beacon Blankets  |
| —Nashua Plaid Woolnap Blankets   | —Noted for their warmth and beauty, size 68x80, at ..... \$7.49                 |
| —Plaid Woolnap Blanket   | —Silkoline Comforts   |
| —White wool blankets, size 68x80, at ..... \$6.19                        | —Best grade silkoline, filled with white cotton ..... \$5.19                    |
| —Wool Blankets   |   |
| —White wool blankets, size 68x80, with pink and blue border ..... \$9.98 |   |

## Hats at \$2.00



—The sketch shows one of the styles. You can see how practical these hats are—all good shapes with simple trimmings. — Sailors turbans, pokes and close fitting fashions—well made of Lyons or silk velvet. — The majority are in black—with a tailored ribbon band and bow for trimming. — They're reduced and offered at the low price of ..... \$2.00

## Gray Buck Lace Boots at \$8.50

—Stunning gray buck lace boots, an entirely new pattern with covered Louis heels and hand turn soles. This material is very fashionable and is very satisfactory. Easily cleaned and very comfortable ..... \$8.50

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|---|--|
| —Black and Gray Boots \$4.95  | —Havana Brown Boots \$10.00  |
| —Black and gray combination lace boots, dressy, serviceable, fit perfectly, inch tops. Long, slender last with feet, long under last, high Louis heels, imitation straight tips. Pull Laid heels, imitation tips. Price only ..... \$4.95 | —Havana brown boots with full 4-inch tops. Long, slender last with feet, long under last, high Louis heels, imitation straight tips. Pull Laid heels, imitation tips. Price only ..... \$10.00 |

## Waists Priced \$3.98



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|--|--|
| —Plaid and striped waists in silks and satins, some have white collars, others high necked models with ruffled effects. These all new suit waists, 10-12 inch waists ..... \$3.98  |  |
| —Georgette waists in original styles with pretty round necks and small collar effects. They are beaded and prettily embroidered, and trimmed with lace and pin tucks. Remstitched cuffs with contrasting colors ..... \$5.98 |  |
| —New school middies in flannel, serge and middie cloth, others with just the flannel collar, all trimmed with braid. Sizes 8 to 22 ..... \$7.98  |  |
| —School smocks, 4 parts, new colors, hand embroidered, button fronts, belts, sailor collars, at ..... \$3.98 and \$4.98  |  |

## Flannelette Wear

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|---|--|
| —Children's flannelette gowns! —Women's flannelette bloomers with or without collars. Trim- ers, with elastic top and bottom with brand, sizes 2 to 10 years. Lengths, 25, 27 and 29 inches ..... 98c | —Knit skirts in gray, red, blue, ers in pink and blue stripes, black and white, with running sizes 6 to 12 years ..... 69c |
| —Children's flannelette bloom- —Knit skirts in gray, red, blue, ers in pink and blue stripes, black and white, with running sizes 6 to 12 years ..... 69c   | —Children's flannelette petticoats with waist attached. Embroidered bottom. Sizes 2, 3 and 4, at ..... 59c                 |

## Tennis Flannel 25c

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|---|---|
| —27-inch colored tennis flannel stripes, checks and plaids for gowns and pajamas, 35c quality ..... 25c | —27-inch bleached Canton ing, 32 1-2c quality ..... 25c |
| —27-inch soft fleecy white out- —27-inch flannel, a 30c quality ..... 21c                               |   |

# An Urgent Appeal to the Public!

Please do not telephone—day  
or night—unless it is absolutely  
necessary!

The present epidemic of Influenza has greatly reduced our operating forces and at the same time has caused a tremendous increase in the volume of local telephone calls.

Vitally important calls for Physicians, Hospitals, Nurses, the Government, and War Industries can not be properly handled during the present crisis unless the public co-operates by reducing the number of telephone calls.

Please advise all members of your family and your friends of the critical situation now facing the Company and the Public and urge them to reduce their use of the Telephone.

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## SOCIETY

## Arrivals Overseas

Tonight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Munson will be solemnized the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret Munson, and Donald Ivan Griffith, of Del Rey, the ceremony to be performed by Dr. Will A. Belter in the presence of intimate friends and relatives.

Mrs. G. A. Smith will leave shortly for San Francisco to spend a short time before going on to Eureka for a visit with her sister, Mrs. H. V. Arnhage.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pratt and daughters are down from their home in Piedmont for a short sojourn in town. They are occupying their residence on U street while they are in Fresno.

Mrs. A. B. Dyer returned to her home in San Francisco yesterday, after a short visit in town with Mr. and Mrs. Ward B. Munson.

Mrs. DeWitt H. Gray will be the hostess at the meeting of the Friday Afternoon Card Club this afternoon, entertaining at her home on Van Ness avenue.

Miss Gladys English is enjoying a visit from her sister, Miss Christine English, who motored down from Oakland, with her cousin, Norris English.

Miss Nellie Hamilton has returned from a short outing in San Francisco.

Mrs. Arch Jack was the inspiration for a jolly informal luncheon yesterday, at which Mrs. Thelma Tupper entertained a congenial group of friends at her home on Fourth avenue. Richly decorated tables were used for the luncheon table adornment, and among those who shared the hospitality of the occasion were Mrs. Creighton Hamilton, Mrs. Mount K. Wild, Mrs. Homer Howell, Mrs. Archie Storie, and Mrs. Gerald Thomas.

General and Mrs. M. W. Muller have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ward and son, Muller, of Sacramento, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ryan and daughter, Rosalie, of Los Angeles, are guests of Gen. and Mrs. M. W. Muller for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Storie, who have made Porterville their home for several years, have recently returned to Fresno from Los Angeles, and are to make their residence here this winter.

Corporal James Bonnar, who has been visiting his father, James Bonnar, on several weeks' furlough, left Wednesday night for Fort Bayard, New Mexico.

The meeting of the Friday Club, which was scheduled for this afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Arthur

Barnard, has been postponed indefinitely.

Mrs. Arthur H. Gosling has returned from a six-weeks visit with relatives in Kansas City, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Adam C. Spencer, who will remain in Fresno until after the holiday season.

Friends of Miss Eleanor Owens will be sorry to know that she is at present at St. Luke's hospital in San Francisco, suffering from an attack of the influenza.

Miss Louise Madison has gone to Los Angeles to spend the winter.

J. B. Stone is down from Berkeley for a several weeks' visit.

Owing to the rush order on the last Red Cross quota, the North Park auxiliary will meet today to finish their allotment of the work. Members are instructed to wear "flu" masks and bring individual drinking cups.

There will be no sewing at the North Side Christian church auxiliary until further notice.

Mrs. C. W. Stewart has gone to San Jose for a week's visit with friends.

Mrs. Anna Newman has lately returned from an extended visit with relatives in Portland and San Francisco.

## INQUIRE INTO WRECK OF TROOP TRAIN

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—Inquiry into the cause of the wreck of a troop train on the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad near Geneva, Ill., about midnight last night, was begun today by federal authorities and agents of the company. Fifty soldiers who were hurt were expected today to recover, although two were said to be severely hurt. The train was eastbound and, being behind time, was running at a high rate of speed when nine of the thirteen cars left the rails and tipped over.

Among the injured are: Omar Acres, Pomona, Cal.; Leon Bingham, Thatcher, Ariz.; Carlos Domingo, El Centro, Cal.; John Chimes, Santa Barbara, Cal.; J. S. Peoples, Yuma, Ariz.; John Orth, Los Angeles, Cal.; R. S. Moody, Redding, Cal.; and Claude C. Burt, Riverside, Cal.

The Hohenzollerns are beginning to realize that it is one thing to start a war and quite another thing to stop it.—Washington Star.



SIX HUN CHASERS FROM FRESNO  
Top—Joe Paul Orphan, Ben H. Beale and Irvin H. Phelps.  
Bottom—Sergeant Leroy Carlisle, Thomas D. Scott and Frankie Elland.

News of the arrival of Ben H. Beale overseas has been received by his sisters, Mrs. Margaret Dunlap and Mrs. Joe B. Greenup of Academy. He is a member of the 319th Engineers, and enlisted in Fresno, March 1, 1918.

Joe Paul Orphan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Orphan, 210 Alice street, Fresno, has arrived overseas according to word received by his parents. He is in the 319th Engineers, and enlisted in Fresno, March 1, 1918.

Irvin M. Phelps has arrived overseas, according to word received by his friends in Fresno. He is a member of the 319th Engineers, and enlisted in Fresno, March 1, 1918.

Another of the 319th Engineers reported to be overseas is Frankie Elland. His wife resides at 361 Diane street.

Sergeant Leroy Carlisle of the 319th Engineers medical department is overseas, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carlisle, of Sanger. Sergeant Carlisle was stationed at Camp Fremont before his departure for Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Scott of Fresno have received word of the arrival of

their son, Thomas D. Scott, overseas. He is a member of the 605th Engineers. He enlisted in July, 1918, and was sent to Camp Humphreys, Va. He is a grandson of Captain J. O. Blumens of Company A, of the First Iowa cavalry during the Civil war, and a grandnephew of the late Major William N. Black of the United States army. Just before enlisting, he had successfully passed the civil service examination for the post office. He was employed in the Fresno postoffice before enlisting. He was a member of the 6th Separate company of the National Guard of Fresno.

## SUNDAY WAR MARCH ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETED

Major Jones to Umpire the "Battle"; Mulligan to Follow Skirmish

State to Furnish Everything for Dinner for 150; Drill Tonight

Arrangements for the state National Guard "mulligan" for the draft men undergoing war training here on their Sunday morning march were completed yesterday. The cook has volunteered, and the National Guard officers have already ordered the meat and other things that go to make up the appetizing stew. Uncle John Carlisle, the custodian of the armory, will go to the scene of the camp tomorrow, and in addition the coffee will be hot and the soda pop will be cold. The dishes and knives, forks and cups will be furnished by the state.

"No Dishwashers."

"The men will need to furnish nothing but they will all have to wash their own dishes, for there are no dishwashers in the army," said the officer.

Two or more squads will be sent out upon the route already chosen, to surprise the main body, or be surprised by it. Sergeant Charles J. McCarthy will have charge of the "enemy," and Captain Galsheer will direct the main body and its advance guards. Major Ed Jones of the Home Guards has been selected for field umpire.

Every precaution is being taken against the influenza. Very few cases have been reported among the officers and men. Lieutenant Fernand Detoys is on the sick list from a different ailment. The open air and exercise seems to under the men more or less immune. Colds, however, were generally worn last night.

The second installment of the officers' training school instruction proved interesting. The most effective illustration was that of marching the front and rear ranks round a block in opposite directions to teach them "cadence." The ranks were set in motion, and upon second trial, reached the starting point after marching the four blocks distance, only a few seconds apart.

Those wishing to drill tonight are to report at the armory at 7:30 o'clock tonight. The Sunday morning drill starts at 9 o'clock.

## JASPAR E. O. BIRD ENDS HIS LIFE

With his throat cut from ear to ear and a bloody razor clamped in his hand, the dead body of Jasper E. O. Bird was found sitting on the edge of the bed at his home, 533 South Angus street early yesterday by Police Inspector Jack Brown and Officer Sayre, who had come to the house to serve a warrant for his arrest. The warrant was sworn out by his wife and charged him with exhibiting a deadly weapon. A knife was also lying on the bed beside him.

According to Mrs. Bird's statement, he had arrived at his residence on Wednesday night and had attempted to force an entrance by breaking in the door. He had been drinking recently and was under the influence of liquor at the time. Mrs. Bird escaped through the window with their only child, a small boy.

Bird is also charged with having threatened her life about a week ago, when he exhibited a deadly weapon, and was recently fined \$20 for carrying a loaded revolver.

During his stay in Fresno, Bird had followed various occupations, having been connected with the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, Stewart Bros. Lumber and Cleaning works, and just recently at trucking for Black's Package store. He was credited with being a willing worker. No motive was given for the act.

He was 25 years old and was born in Wisconsin in 1893. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Stephens & Bean.

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By morning most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

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It will be shown and explained to you by The Owl Drug Co., who will be glad to give you an interesting booklet, by Dr. Tyrrell, called "Why Man of Today is Only 50 Per Cent Efficient." This booklet is free upon request. Ask for it today while you think of it.

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## BUILDING WOODEN SHIPS, WILMINGTON

Flavor of Old Sea Romance at Los Angeles Harbor

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 24.—Whatever tang of old-time romance remains to the sea clings most closely, in the opinion of seafaring men of this section, around ships of wood, such as are being built for the United States government at the yards of the Fulton Shipbuilding Company at Wilmington, Los Angeles harbor.

The men who are building these wooden bottoms have by their work, not only because there is a labor of patriotism and they share in the ultimate defeat of the Germans, but because also of memories of other days when such vessels were supreme upon the seven seas.

They look across Los Angeles harbor, to the yards of the Los Angeles Shipbuilding and Drydock Company, where vessels of steel are being built, and think of the yards at San Diego, Cal., where concrete ships are in course of construction, and still are filled with a little elation that the vessels of wood—the ships of romance they call them—still find their places in the arms of the world. "These wooden ships link the past and present," say the officials.

The Fulton Shipbuilding Company was a well-established concern when the great need for ships became manifest and it promptly put aside all other work to take up that of the government. It was July 25, 1917, that it began preparations to lay the keel of the first ship for which a contract was awarded.

That first ship was the Yehana. As with most other vessels built for the government in the Southwest, the name given those at this yard, also, are of Indian origin. Of course, it was of wood, for no other kind is contracted for this plant. The Yehana, long since delivered to the government, had a net tonnage of 1,838, a gross tonnage of 2,129, a length of all of 236 feet, a breadth of 46, a depth of 23 feet, a load draft of 23 feet and a displacement of 6,100 tons.

Three sister ships, the Calawba, the Mono and the Cocopah, built here, are now in the water, having, when 95 percent completed, been turned over to the National Engineering Corporation, a Los Angeles company, for the installation in the Calawba and the Mono of their engines. No steam ever is expected to issue from the Cocopah, however, as it is slated to become a tugboat. These four vessels are of the Haugh design, which calls for two propellers, and which has been superseded at this plant, by government order, by the Ferris design, which calls for only one. On the ways now are four ships of that type, the Wanyanaka, the Wanyaka, and two others waiting for names.

According to a speech made at the plant by Charles M. Schwab, director-general of the United States Shipbuilding Board, contracts for six more vessels will be awarded this yard, if it can finish them in a year. These wooden ships are of what constructors call the 2,000-ton type and are all very much of a kind.

Making ships of wood is vastly different from making ships of steel, the builders say, declaring that more skill is required to shape a vessel from raw lumber than from plates of steel that come from workers who already have shaped them according to requirements. One of the differences is in a very simple thing: What the builders of metal ships call riveting is termed fastening by the builders of wooden vessels. Since much less of it is required it is not often that it is greeted by the thumping of a pneumatic hammer.

In general, however, the equipment of the yard, in the matter of shops for blacksmithing, painting, upholstery and the like, is the same as in a plant for the construction of metal vessels.

Other yards in this district engaged in building ships for the government—smaller yards, but proportionately as busy—are those of the Chandler Shipbuilding Company, also at Wilmington; the Southwestern Shipping Company, at San Pedro, and the Long Beach Shipping Company, at Long Beach.

These makers of ships, both steel and wooden, are not the kind of place welcome to tolerate military snickers.

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## Rush for "Flu" Masks Keeps R. C. Workers Busy

Although the Red Cross Salvage Shop is officially "closed" during the "flu" epidemic, it was open yesterday to do \$75.00 worth of business, which was entered on the books in one branch of the store actively. That activity had been created by the demands of the epidemic, and met by strenuous endeavor upon workers in the shop to meet the demands of the public with the required "flu" masks. The shop will again be open for sale of masks, and Mrs. W. R. Isaacs, shop manager, is asking for volunteer helpers.

At military headquarters in the Chamber of Commerce building the demand for masks was even greater and during the two days of the requirements to wear the masks nearly \$500 worth of the masks have been sold. People have waited in lines for the completion of the articles, when the supplies ebbed, and hundreds of yards of gauze have been cut and folded into the required size and style. The sale will be continued today.

## R. C. HEADQUARTERS CLOSED BY "FLU"

Eliminating the personal contact as far as possible, the headquarters of the Fresno Chapter of the Red Cross has announced that the offices will be closed to the public, during the "flu" epidemic, although the secretaries will continue at their places of work, doing necessary clerical and other work. Any persons desiring information may get behind those closed doors through the medium of the telephone, and a call for phone 314 will bring a ready response.

This closing of doors does not, however, include the Civilian Relief Department in the Edgerly building, with Mrs. William Marshall secretary, who will meet all persons as before. Her phone is No. 4447.

## Hun Grows Spuds, Runs; Selman Is the Harvester

Digging German spuds is regular work for James C. Berry at Selman, who is now on German soil with General Pershing's army engineers in Europe. Percy Crocker, also of Selman, writes that Berry on his hour off duty "went over a hill, deserted by the Huns, and quietly dug out the potatoes in a garden where the enemy had brought them to maturity before retreating."

"They were the nicest kind of potatoes," he writes, "although they grew in the mud."

**TWO CIVIL TESTS ANNOUNCED.** Men interested in the civil service examination for forest ranger, which will be held on October 25 in Fresno, are asked to apply immediately to the Forest Supervisors at North Fork.

B. A. Dorland, local secretary of the civil service board has announced a test for petroleum technologist (male) on November 12. Applications may be received from the secretary at the postoffice.

**FUNERAL FOR KERNAN YOUTH.** The funeral service of Peter Lauby, Jr., the 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lauby, Sr., who died at a local hospital yesterday, will be held at Mountain View cemetery today, the cortege leaving Stephens & Bean's chapel at 2 o'clock sharp. The family resides near Kernan.

As one of the Emergency Fleet Corporation officials here recently said: "Shipyards at Los Angeles harbor are not a refuge for slackers, and the people should know it." In proof thereof the official offered statistics showing that of 18,769 shipbuilders employed only 532 were in Class 1, and of that 54 were in limited classifications of Class 1. The other more 55 per cent were in Classes 2, 3, 4 and 5.

## A. D. EWING ILL OF INFLUENZA

Spanish "flu", apparently, has invaded the county courthouse. Up to yesterday, there were no suspected cases reported, but yesterday three or four officials and employees were ill.

A. D. Ewing, county treasurer, was reported late yesterday afternoon to be suffering from influenza. His temperature was 103. Mr. Ewing worked through Wednesday, although affected by a cold. He was much improved last night.

Frederick W. Dicker, deputy district attorney, was reported ill. Miss Neta Thomson and Miss Harriet Brown of Assessor Cummings' office are other victims, and were off duty yesterday.

## LODGE TO HELP DURING EPIDEMIC

The local review of the Women's Benefit Association of the Macabees have received instructions from Miss Mrs. M. West, supreme commander of the association, to organize at once in giving efficient aid to the government and civic authorities in checking the Spanish influenza.

The organization is represented in the local review by the Vice President, Mrs. Dora Reitz as commander and Mrs. Inga F. Warren as recorder.

Cards with definite instructions as to preventive precautions have been sent out and placed in the homes of the membership.

The local review is joining with the authorities in giving all possible aid in stopping the spread of this epidemic. Mrs. Reitz of 721 N. street, (phone 1984-34) and Mrs. C. J. Nelson, 2155 Nevada (phone 1164-W) have been entrusted with the work of the association.

**HOSPITAL STOCK CLERK DIES.** Frank Allibone, the stock clerk of the county hospital, was found dead in bed yesterday. He had been employed there in that capacity for four years and originally came from New York state. He was 64 years old and had been ill for the past two months. A son survives him in France.

An inquest will be held by Coroner Bean today.

Dr. Howard, dentist, 601-603 Bank of Italy building.

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## Boys' Military Overcoats \$11.50

Smart-looking soldier-like coats of all-wool service cloth in the practical khaki color. The 2 to 10 year sizes are only \$11.50.

## Boys' Jersey Sweaters \$2.75

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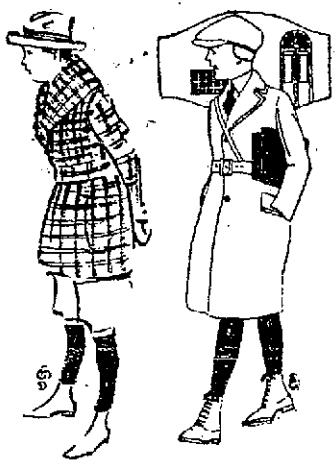
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## FLU TAKES YOUNG WOMAN.

Mrs. Lucy Chasano, 30 years old, who died recently at 515 Van Ness avenue, was buried in Ararat cemetery yesterday.

## SUCCESSORS TO INFLUENZA.

Paul Krestoff, 45 years old, died of the influenza at 630 P street yesterday. Beyond that he was a workman, but little was known of him. Funeral services will be held at Calvary cemetery.

## WEDS BAKERSFIELD COUPLE.

Judge Smith performed the wedding ceremony of Miss Muriel L. Townsend and Edward E. Peck, of Bakersfield yesterday.

## NOTICE TO DUCK HUNTERS

The depredations of some hunters during the first week of the open season have made it necessary that we stop all shooting on our lands in Fresno, Madera, and Merced counties. Hunters are warned against attempting to enter as the gates are locked. Trespassers will be prosecuted.

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## DEATHS.

MILGOS—In Fresno City, October 23d, 1918, Nicholas Milgos, beloved husband of Matilda Milgos, loving father of Nicholas, Juliana and Rudolph Milgos; a native of Malin, California, aged 55 years. 1 day. Private funeral services were held yesterday (Thursday) morning at 10 o'clock. The remains were placed in Stephens & Bean's receiving vault awaiting shipment to Chile, South America.

LAUBY—Peter Lauby, Jr., 15 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lauby, Sr., loving brother of Henry and Mollie Lauby; a native of California, died 18 months ago at the age of 2 years. Funeral services will be held at the grade-side, Rev. C. W. Wolter officiating.

MARTINEZ—In Fresno, October 23, 1918, Jose Martinez, a native of Mexico and 23 years of age. Funeral arrangements are in the hands of the French Undertakers Co., who will announce the plans after the arrival of a brother from Los Angeles.

SCHWARTZMAN—In Fresno City, 2237 Rose street, October 23, 1918, David Schwartzman, native of Russia, aged 69 years, loving husband of Christine, loving father of Daniel, Fred, Margaret, all in Russia, and Peter of Fresno. Funeral will be held from home at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Interment Mountain View cemetery. Isaac Brown, funeral director.

CARDS OF THANKS.

We wish to extend thanks to the many friends and neighbors who attended the funeral of our dear son and brother, Edward Whitehead, who died October 23, 1918, and to all those who contributed the beautiful flower display of a broken heart made of pink roses and orchids. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Whitehead, son and daughter.

Vacuum cleaners. Phone 1775.

## PERSONAL MENTION

At Lindley of Stockton registered at the Hotel Fresno yesterday. Lindley was in charge of the fourth Liberty loan drive in San Joaquin county. He will return to Fresno Sunday to attend the registration meeting which will be held here on Monday.

William Doyle and family of Alameda are registered at the Hughes hotel.

R. H. Roundtree of San Francisco is among the registrants at the Fresno.

Dr. A. C. Rosenberger and family of Stockton registered at the Sequoia yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Rensselaer of Riverside are registered at the Fresno.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Dallas and daughter of Coalinga are stopping at the Sequoia hotel.

J. F. Hawkins and H. J. Read of San Francisco are registered at the Fresno.

E. P. Mitchell is a registrant at the Sequoia from San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Hall of Oakland are registered at the Fresno.

W. Brankert of Pasadena is registered at the Fresno.

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When your muscles become tired, sore and swollen and the joints become stiff, your circulation poor, and your suffering makes you irritable, an application of Sloan's Liniment gives you quick relief—kills pain, starts up a good circulation, relieves congestion. It is easier and cheaper to use than musky plasters or ointments, acts quickly and does not clog the pores. It does not stain the skin.

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# News From Central California

## INFLUENZA CAUSES FATALITY IN CERES

CERES, Oct. 24.—A few cases of Spanish influenza in Ceres and one death resulted in the closing of the public schools, the free library, and to call off all public gatherings or meetings until further notice. The school closed for the week on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. E. H. Robinson, wife of the editor of the Ceres Courier, is spending two weeks in Los Gatos and Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams recently moved from Madera to Ceres, and occupy the home formerly owned by Mr. Williams' mother.

Dr. Louis Munch of Chicago, in California on a business trip, was a guest of her nephew, Ross Munch, in Sunnyvale, and left on Thursday morning for San Francisco.

Miss Bernice Shultz of Pasadena, spending some time at the Robert Dickson family home, has a brother, Harry, who is in the military hospital in Berkeley. Her mother went through Ceres on Thursday from Phoenix, Arizona, to visit the sick boy.

E. L. Howard of Oakland is visiting at the J. U. Martin home a few days.

William A. Dart, a scoundrel of Anaheim, Cal., is visiting at the home of his cousin, J. H. Lawrence, in Smyrna Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph of West have been visiting their ranch for one year, and have gone to Hilton this week.

Miss Daisy Austin formerly of Ceres, now of Mountain Home, Idaho, has been visiting her relatives in Sunnyvale and left for Oakland on Wednesday.

Mrs. C. N. Whitmore has returned home from her visit at Stockton and the bay cities, and has had as house guests this week, her son, J. L. Whitmore, and Miss Rita White of Stockton, also Mrs. A. F. Withersall and Miss Eselle Withersall of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gleason are visiting Mrs. Gleason's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Robertson, in Santa Maria.

The Misses Stella McCoy and Edna Allen left on Tuesday to take positions in Camella, and Miss Orpha McCoy went at the same time to take a position in Santa Maria.

## WILL ENFORCE USE OF MASKS

FOWLDER, Oct. 24.—Everyone in Fowler is ordered to wear a face mask when appearing in business places, or on the streets. Charles Chapman, president of the health board, has announced that the police have been instructed to enforce this order made today at a meeting of the board. Most day at the business places are complying with this request. Twenty-four new cases of influenza were reported this morning.

## THREE CASES REPORTED

CENTERVILLE, Oct. 24.—Three cases of Spanish influenza are reported in Centerville.

The Orange Blossom auxiliary of the Red Cross is postponed until the flu epidemic passes over.

D. H. Fawcett and Miss Morgan of Clovis visited in Clark ranch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Laird of Fresno were in Clark ranch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jones of Visalia were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Clark.

Grant Demick gave a stag party Tuesday evening in honor of Dan Moore, who is soon to leave to serve the color.

P. T. Clark is up from Goshen, visiting his son, L. W. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Asato gave a large Japanese dinner party Sunday, which was enjoyed by all the guests.

Mrs. G. Stewart is reported on the sick list.

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## RED CROSS WOMEN GIVEN HIGH PRAISE

RIVERBANK, Oct. 24.—Mrs. R. W. Fuller received a letter from her son, Private Gerald H. Doyle, Company B, 53d Engineers, A. E. F., this week. Following is a portion of the letter:

"It is raining here tonight, so I am taking advantage of the chance to write. I am well and we are working hard and hope to come home next year. We have the Huns going and we are going to keep them going. They don't like the way we handle them. The Red Cross is doing everything they can to make us boys happy and believe me, they are the sweetest and kindest women I ever met. They will do anything to make things as much as the home for us as they can, for they will do anything for them, for they are our best friends."

## INFLUENZA VICTIM COMMITS SUICIDE

DINUBA, Oct. 24.—Elwood Unger, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Unger, a young man living near Cutler, who had been suffering from Spanish influenza, while in a state of delirium, shot himself. His mother had stepped out a few minutes and upon hearing the report of the gun came in and found her son with the top of his head shot off. He was in the last days of his illness.

## COALINGA EPIDEMIC IS STILL CRITICAL

COALINGA, Oct. 24.—The influenza epidemic in this city seems to have reached its peak, no deaths having been reported in the past twenty-four hours, although several patients are very ill. The epidemic is still reported, with probably fifty of the number in a serious condition, having developed pneumonia. The women of the Red Cross chapter yesterday made and today have received orders for twenty more, besides which they have made over 1200 gauze "flu" masks, which, according to an order of the board of health and city council issued late this afternoon will have to be worn by everyone appearing in public places on the streets of this place on and after tomorrow.

## WAR GARDEN WORK GIVEN RECOGNITION

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 24.—It is a fact worthy of note that County Superintendent of Schools L. E. Chenoweth has always been a booster for school gardens. For the last three years he has been visiting the schools and encouraging the teachers to plant school gardens. It was last year that the school gardens have assumed national importance. The United States school garden army was organized, an appropriation was put through Congress and the movement has been systematized. As the Kern county schools were already working hard on their gardens in nearly every place it was possible, the work will not be an innovation.

## LATON IS FREE FROM EPIDEMIC

LATON, Oct. 24.—The grammar and joint union high schools were formally closed Monday morning for the remainder of the week by order of the board of health. The town of Laton is quite free from the influenza so far, but there are a few cases in the country districts.

The Laton chapter of the Red Cross will keep the work room open every day until the quota of pajamas for the chapter here have been finished. The quota is fourteen to be finished by November 1.

The reception and social which Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Engle had planned to give the young people at their home Friday night has been postponed until a future date on account of the influenza epidemic. It will be held until the danger of influenza is past.

Laton's quota in the Fourth Liberty loan was \$28,100. The people over-subscribed \$5,600, a total of \$33,700.

Gerald Knudsen, who sustained a broken arm while cranking a car some days ago, is reported improving. The young man has been in Fresno for the past few days, undergoing treatment.

"FLU" IS NOT SERIOUS. McKITTRICK, Oct. 24.—A few cases of Spanish influenza have developed in this city and at Reedard, three miles northwest of here. The authorities are taking every precaution to prevent spread of the disease, and Mayor Less Cloutier and the board of trustees of McKittrick have provided a supply of serum for inoculation. They are co-operating with the health officials in a most efficient manner.

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BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 24.—On the argument that the face masks are injurious to the health, at a special session of the city council last evening the members refused to pass an order that the people should wear the masks, as suggested by the members of the local Red Cross. Neither the council members nor the city health officer, Dr. Cuno, who was present, approved of the idea. The wearing of masks will continue to be voluntary.

Thirty-one new cases were reported to the health officer today. A few deaths have occurred. All the doctors are very busy and the drug stores are working to the limit.

A large number of women are working day and night making masks and they are for sale at the Red Cross shop. Every woman of the city is asked to volunteer for some form of work, either making masks, other supplies or help in nursing.

Reports come from Randburg of four more deaths due to influenza. The one doctor of the place was so ill he was brought to the hospital in Bakersfield. Dr. Morris, county health officer, says conditions are no better in the outside districts.

## INSTALL EQUIPMENT IN NEW COTTON GIN

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 24.—The first carload of machinery for the cotton gin is being installed by the California Product Company at Hawthorne near Bakersfield. It arrived today and was unloaded. It arrived somewhat ahead of time and the building was not ready for placing the machinery. Another carload is due any day. The cotton house is completed, but the gin house is not.

W. W. Kelly has visited three fields of cotton in the Arvin, or Weed Patch, district in the past week and reports the crops in flourishing condition and says the cotton is of excellent grade. In some of the fields the cotton is being picked. Mr. Kelly says there will be at least 5000 bales of cotton, though some people estimate it at 1000.

Mr. Kelly says that the company have applied to the railroad company for rates on the shipment of the product. There does not seem much doubt but that they will receive a favorable answer. In about 10 days the gin will be in working order.

## USE JAIL TO HELP INFLUENZA VICTIMS

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 24.—The hospital ward at the county jail has been turned into a hospital for the numerous influenza patients. Eight patients were installed under the care of Mrs. Grant Johnson with Miss Condit of East Bakersfield. Two more patients were expected today and 25 more patients as the ward is found to be an excellent place to care for the sick persons if sufficient help can be secured.

Mr. A. C. Mack, principal of the Lincoln and Fremont schools brought the attention of the Red Cross to these cases from the Mexican colony. The patients were taken to the jail by pressing into service ambulances and private machines. Those who gave their assistance in moving the patients were Messrs: C. V. Anderson, C. L. Taylor, H. L. Glenn, D. L. Clarke, L. O. Helm, J. Bruce Payne, A. R. Holsinger and James Egan.

## BARSTOW SCHOOL CLOSES

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Mr. Campbell of the Pioneer store is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stout entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. Brockman of Artesia on Tuesday evening.

Miss Essie Bailey is visiting her sister in Sanger this week.

Miss Weimer, one of the teachers in the school, will move into the Geo. Miller home with her parents the last of the week.

Miss Alquist left for Selma, to spend the week-end with her parents, J. E. Gregory and E. C. Egan, made a business trip to Clovis this week.

Those desiring yarn to knit socks for the Red Cross may secure same at the home of Mrs. Toss; also directions.

Miss Mollie Barthol came home this week. Miss Barthol has been employed in the packing house in Kingsburg for some time.

Miss Brenda Triplett left for Dinuba to spend the week-end with her parents.

## FACES TWO CHARGES

VISALIA, Oct. 24.—G. G. Harper of Porterville, arrested and brought to the county jail in Visalia by Constable W. E. Maston of Porterville, will have a double amount of explaining to do, according to the sheriff's office.

Harper, charged with a statutory crime on complaint of a Porterville woman. The other explanation concerns why he gives his age as 28 years.

Five years ago in Visalia he took out a marriage license to wed Marietta Briggs of Lindsay, she giving her age as 18 and he as only 25. In the event that 35 years is correct, Harper will have to explain further why he failed to register on September 12.

## TO REDUCE EXTRA WEIGHT

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 24.—Rowen Hall, son of E. H. Hall, prominent banker of Bakersfield, has determined to get in the service of Uncle Sam. Owing to his superfluous weight this has heretofore been impossible. All efforts have failed on account of over weight. Young Hall has decided to take the matter into his own hands and make himself physically fit to serve his country. He has gone to San Francisco to take an expert scientific course in reducing.

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DE HERREA.—Near Coalinga, October 22, 1918, Maria Herrea, native of Mexico, aged 37 years. Interment in Coalinga cemetery.

LICENSED TO WED. WINTHROP-SMITH.—Visalia, Herman McKittrick, 24, of Lemoore, and Nellie E. Singleton, 24, of Ducor.

## PIONEER RESIDENT DIES IN RANDBURG

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 24.—On Saturday morning one of the old pioneers of Randburg passed away after a long and lingering illness. Daniel Gunderson at the time of his death was a merchant in Randburg but long years ago he was one of the first teachers of the mining town. He was a native of Randburg and a teacher and has resided in the town for fourteen continuous years. At the time of his death he was a member of the county board of education.

When Mr. Gunderson first went to Randburg it was necessary to have a man teacher on account of the rough element there. When the big boys misbehaved, it was necessary to get out and fight them and after that performance had been given, the rough element proved master of the situation. The respect in which he was held was universal in the mining community, shared by children and townspeople alike. Having a chance to change his career, which he found against wishes of the school board and the inhabitants, resigned from his position and entered other business.

Mr. Gunderson was a little over 40 years of age. The funeral services were held Sunday, attended by a large number of friends.

Though death has come as a merciful release, his friends and associates are pained by his death, but by his many associates on the desert, in Mojave and throughout the county.

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MADERA, Oct. 24.—Julio Tognarelli, employed at the old Columbia ranch, died today of pneumonia. He was first ill with influenza and went to first his wife's home and then to his home in Italy, but no relatives here. Funeral services will be held tomorrow and interment made at Calvary cemetery.

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KINGSBURG PEOPLE CHEERFULLY COMPLY WITH MASK ORDERS

KINGSBURG, Oct. 24.—Following the request of Governor W. D. Stephens many leading citizens of Kingsburg are wearing gauze masks to protect themselves against the Spanish influenza, and in turn to protect those with whom they come in contact. W. D. McLeod with his clerks were the first to comply with the chief executive's orders, and other leading business men are adopting the same precaution. Many new cases have recently developed which shows the necessity of immediate action in this gauze mask guard. A large number of local people are complying with the governor's request from a patriotic standpoint as well as a protection of person and neighbor. It is anticipated that a meeting of the local city board will be had to insist upon a rigid enforcement of the governor's request.

Dr. Flora Smith reported several new cases to the county health board yesterday, and all reports on new cases are required to be turned in by the local physicians to the city health officer for every evening. This is requested to be done at once.

## CHILD IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

DINUBA, Oct. 24.—Katherine Vetz, the seven-year-old daughter of Peter Vetz, of this city, was killed in an automobile accident at 5:30 this evening midway between Munsion and Visalia. Peter Vetz, who was at the wheel, in attempting to avoid a collision with a car driven by Mr. Hutton, ran off the end of a bridge and his car capsized in the bottom of the creek. In the car with him were his wife and one other child, also Mrs. Mittle and Peter Sculp. Mr. Sculp was seriously injured, others slightly.

## INFLUENZA CAUSES OAKDALE TO CLOSE

OAKDALE, Oct. 24.—The Spanish influenza has hit Oakdale, and, acting under orders from Health Officer E. R. Clark, all public gatherings have been tabooed. The schools have also been closed by the school authorities. Health officers are ordering this action. The school authorities decided, however, because of the great falling off in attendance, "many" parents keeping their children at home through fear of contracting the "flu," which has overtaken other members in raising the multitudinous duties of the office in this strenuous time.

The movies and the lodge rooms have also been closed for the present, and the Dr. Nicholson revival meetings, which have been running for some time, have been postponed indefinitely. The revivalist and his assistants leaving the city. The entertainment planned by the Catholic church, the annual Red Cross meeting and the Improvement Club meetings have all been abandoned.



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# MASK OR ARREST, ORDER

## ALL "FLU" CASES TO BE ISOLATED; POLICE TO ENFORCE MASK ORDER

Board of Health Is Put in Control of City at Conference in Council Chambers—Saloons to Remain Open—Drastic Steps Taken

Dr. C. Mathewson, health officer, announced late last night that the new cases of Spanish influenza reported during the day were 140. Five pneumonia cases were reported and one death.

"The 140 cases are new today," said Dr. Mathewson. "This does not mean that there is any material decrease. On the days that 200 or more cases were reported, a number of them were old cases that were not reported at once. There are no old cases included in today's 140."

The board of health is in full control in Fresno. Failure to wear a gauze mask today will be regarded as sufficient cause for arrest. Refusal of "flu" sufferers confined in study rooms in lodging houses will be followed by the transportation of the unwilling victim to an isolation hospital despite his protests. If necessary isolation will be forced upon those who have not enough regard for public welfare to isolate themselves. The principal school was ordered to remain closed as an additional isolation hospital.

Following a conference at the city hall yesterday afternoon between the board of health, the mayor, the members of the city council and officers of the chief civic organizations of the city, City Attorney Van Meter made public an opinion that the health board is given sufficient powers under Political Code 2978 to enforce all its orders.

As a result, the police were given orders to begin this morning to enforce the mask rule by arresting those who are too unconcerned with the welfare of others to wear them. As another preventive step Mayor Toomey and the board of trustees ordered all streets of the entire downtown district and in Chinatown to be flushed by the fire department last night. And from today until the end of the epidemic all down town streets will be thoroughly washed with water every day instead of once a week as has been customary.

No action was taken toward the closing of saloons. Mayor Toomey said he had been called on the telephone by scores who demanded why the pool halls, schools and churches had been closed and the saloons allowed to remain open. Toomey said he had no authority to close any place of business unless asked to take action by the board of health as a public health measure.

Saloons Remain Open.

Dr. Mathewson asked his opinion regarding the advisability of closing the saloons.

"I see no difference between closing the saloons and closing the stores, the restaurants and the soda water fountain," he said. "They are all places of public gathering. They are obeying my orders to sterilize all glasses in boiling water. They are being watched. If any violation is found a single agency in combating the disease in other cities. It was accomplished more good here."

Mayor Toomey said he stood ready to close up the entire city, the saloons and every other place of public gathering. "It has been suggested to me," said the mayor, "that every place of business in the city should be closed up for three or four days and only the groceries, butcher shops and bakeries allowed to remain open for two hours every morning and the restaurants to remain open during meal hours only and then only long enough to feed the patrons."

Newman Tells Plan.

President David L. Newman of the Chamber of Commerce said a conference had been held earlier in the day by merchants and he said the dry goods men had favored a shorter day should the "flu" epidemic become more serious. He also said in event this step should become necessary the dry goods men would supply lunches to their employees, so it would not be necessary for them to leave the stores and crowd the restaurants. Newman also advocated the frequent flushing of the streets. He said the dust, if allowed to remain, carries germs to the passerby with every gust of wind. He urged further the isolation of all homes where there are "flu" cases, together with the posting of signs on

them announcing the presence of "flu."

President C. T. Clearley of the Merchants Association declared that if "flu" the town was the thing to do, he felt all merchants would prefer to close up tight for a few days than to do a 20 per cent business for two or three weeks. He did not believe the time had come, however, when such a drastic measure was necessary. And Health Officer Mathewson agreed with him.

It was decided at the conference that every case must be isolated and that no persons will be allowed to go to and fro from sick rooms without completely changing their wearing apparel. Dr. Mathewson said he did not have a sufficient number of police at his disposal to enforce this order, but he called upon all persons to respect the order to prevent the further spread of death throughout the city.

Merchants Are Notified.

Immediately following the meeting the following letter was sent out by Secretary L. J. Allen to all members of the Fresno Merchants Association:

Fresno, Oct. 24, 1918.

To All Members:

This bulletin is issued for your information.

The board of health is in absolute charge of this city and whatever ruling they make is absolutely the law and must be obeyed. A meeting was held today at the city hall of the board of health and the city trustees the following rulings were made and everyone must comply with them:

1—Every store or place of business must observe the wearing of masks by everyone employed. Non-compliance with this order will cause the board of health to close this particular place until they see fit to allow it to open.

2—There is to be no return of goods purchased and no goods whatsoever sent on approval and returned to the store by the customer.

3—In order to keep the streets and sidewalks in a sanitary condition as possible, the health department has ordered and the water company has consented to allow the washing of sidewalks each morning at a proportionately increased cost.

4—Why truly yours,

THE MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION OF FRESNO.

By L. J. Allen, Secretary.

Thirty-five died.

According to official figures given out yesterday, 35 deaths from "flu" have taken place in Fresno county since the discovery of the first case. Following is the toll of the epidemic to date:

Oct. 1—Juan Antonio Sineseros, Fresno.

Oct. 10—Eugene Van Effen, Fresno.

Oct. 11—S. A. Barry, Fresno.

Oct. 13—Dylan Kolgan, Fresno.

Oct. 15—Frank Burnett, Fresno.

Oct. 15—Thomas O. Toney, Calwa.

Oct. 17—Antonio Perez, 103 D street; John Lamothe, 359 Diana street; Babakhan Kuligan, Kearney avenue.

Oct. 18—Patric McLaughlin, Fresno; Mrs. Anna E. Patterson, Calwa; Mary Somo, 1224 C street.

Oct. 19—Mrs. Ethel Hursh, Fresno; Dionysia Curatelo, Shields avenue.

Oct. 20—August W. Bering, 1523 Wilson avenue.

Oct. 21—Victor Calabrizzi, 1134 B street; Dr. W. T. Burke, 247 Fort Campbell avenue; Thomas McDonough, 3340 Kernochott avenue; Dr. Edward L. Schwartz, county hospital.

Oct. 22—James H. Seymour, Reix apartments; Don E. Elliot, Calwa; Milo S. Nichols, Fresno; Mrs. Emma Smith, 3294 Nevada avenue; Harry Taylor, 1955 Mary street; Warren Wheeler, 2967 Iowa avenue.

Oct. 23—W. A. Dempsey, Firebaugh; Sheila M. Shepherd, 1133 College avenue; Max A. Koffman, 755 J street; Martin Silver, 33 D street; Joe Martinez, Fresno; John Sweeney, county hospital; Daniel Schwabehn, 2257 Rose street; J. Bowell, Fresno.

Oct. 24—Lucy Charrone, 515 Van Ness avenue; Peter Laut, near Kernman.

WANT LEMON PICKERS

Announcement was made yesterday at the state employment bureau at Kern and T. streets, Fresno, that fifty lemon pickers are required near Visalia. The wages are announced to be \$3.50 per day and board. Applicants are asked to call at the bureau.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ed Hughes are ill with influenza at their home on O street. Both have light cases, and expect to fully recover in a week.

## Mathewson Has Full Power to Enforce His Orders

City Attorney Edgar S. Van Meter yesterday forwarded to City Health Officer Mathewson an opinion as to the length to which the health board may go to enforce its "flu" mask order and to isolate influenza sufferers who refuse to leave their lodging house beds and have, according to Dr. Mathewson, "made every lodging house in the city a breeding place of disease."

In City Attorney Van Meter's opinion, Dr. Mathewson had power to cause the arrest of those who disobey his mask order and to forcibly isolate any influenza patient who refuses to accept isolation. The sweeping interpretation of the law as outlined in a letter to Dr. Mathewson follows:

Dr. C. Mathewson.

Fresno, Cal.

Dear Sir:

Section 2978 of the Political Code provides: That it is the duty of every City Health Officer, knowing or having reason to believe, that any case of cholera, plague, (and numerous other diseases, mentioning them specifically) "or any other contagious or infectious diseases" exists within the City of which he is an officer, to take such measures as may be necessary to prevent the spread of such disease, and to report the same to the Secretary of the State Board of Health at Sacramento.

This section likewise provides that the State Board of Health, or its Secretary, on being informed of any such contagious or infectious disease may thereupon take such measures as may be necessary to ascertain the nature of such disease and prevent the spread of such contagion. And to that end said State Board of Health, or its Secretary, may if deemed proper, take possession or control of the body of any living person, or the corpse of any deceased person, and may direct and take such means as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

While this language does not specifically authorize the State Board of Health, or its Secretary, or the Health Officer of the City to quarantine any person, yet it is so broad and general that under it it is my opinion that the City Health Officer, under directions from the State Board of Health, or its Secretary, may take possession and control of the body of any living person affected with this disease, and may order him to be in substance quarantined, if he deems it necessary to prevent the further spread of such disease.

The safety of the public at the present time demands that the Health Officer act, and act promptly and decisively, and it is no time to split hairs about the right to take such action that the Health Officer deems necessary, when so instructed by the State Board of Health, or its Secretary, and isolate any one that he deems necessary for the benefit of the public to be isolated.

Respectfully,

EDGAR S. VAN METER.

City Attorney.

## 4 SALOONS CLOSED BY MATHEWSON

Four saloons were summarily closed last night by Dr. C. Mathewson, city health officer, for disregarding the order that all saloons must wear gauze "flu" masks. Dr. Mathewson made a personal round of the saloons last night and as a result ordered the following four to close their doors and remain closed:

Center Bar, Mattei & Son, 1151 J street.

Commercial Saloon, Fred Blenberger, proprietor, 1919 Mariposa street.

National Saloon, John J. Kern, proprietor, 2133 E street.

Louise Saloon, 1148 K street.

Other saloons and stores as well will be closed by the health authorities today if they violate the "flu" mask order.

## U. S. FARM AGENT VISITS FRESNO

Division Head of Advisors Praises Farmers' War Work Co-operation

W. A. Lloyd of Washington, D. C., in charge of farm advisors, county agent work in the northern and western states, spent part of yesterday in Fresno on a general tour of the larger agricultural sections of the western states. He was accompanied here by Ralph D. Robertson, farm advisor of San Joaquin county.

Mr. Lloyd was well impressed with the progress in the western agricultural communities in the past year, and praised the co-operative spirit shown in food campaigns and the local support given in the war program.

Advisor Leroy B. Smith and Associate R. N. Davis and Assistant W. E. McCutchan held a brief conference at the Commercial club with Mr. Lloyd last night.

Mr. Lloyd re-emphasized the fact that the county farm bureaus are the units with which the government works directly and upon which it depends to carry out its large war food program. The co-operative marketing associations centering in Fresno were especially praised. He left last night for Los Angeles county, and is on his way to Arizona.

Advisor Robertson will remain in Fresno over today to study field crops here. He is especially interested in Fresno county wheat and cotton culture.

## HAWSON SPEAKS AT PORTERVILLE

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 24.—Henry Hawson, Democratic candidate for Congress, spoke here tonight. His argument was that unless a Democrat is elected to succeed President Wilson the Central Empire will be led to believe that President Wilson lacks support in carrying on the war.

# UNITED WAR WORK CAMPAIGN OPENED FOR FRESNO COUNTY

Dr. Charles T. Wheeler Tells of Work Done in France at Roof Garden Gathering

The first rallying cry for the United War Work campaign which opens on November 1 and lasts for one week, ending on November 18, was sounded yesterday afternoon at an open-air gathering of representatives of the seven war service organizations whose behalf the campaign has been started.

Dr. Charles T. Wheeler, who has just returned from the battle lines which he visited on behalf of the United States government, told in graphic terms of the work that is being done for the bodily and spiritual welfare of the soldiers abroad and at home. Dr. Wheeler claimed that America had a great responsibility in the present world war, and that the great moral leader of the world today was President Wilson.

F. Dean Prescott, chairman of the County United War Work executive committee, presided. He said that in beginning the campaign the war work committee was faced with many difficulties, the present epidemic of influenza, prevalent in the city, and the meetings, and the speakers whom they had secured were under the necessity of addressing gatherings in the open air. These open air meetings, he said, could only be held in the warmth of the day, and the speakers would be limited, but he declared, it was all the more incumbent on the local and general committees to exert themselves to the utmost not only to reach the quota, but to have it over-subscribed.

County Quota \$146,800.

Mr. Prescott said that the national fund amounted to \$170,000,000, which the government had allocated among the seven organizations engaged in the war work. Fresno county's quota, this, he said, was \$146,800. The war services among whom the money is to be divided by the government are, the Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Knights of Columbus, Jewish Welfare League, the American Library Association, and the Community Chest.

Dr. Wheeler opened his address by taking his audience in imagination from the United States to France, a troop ship to France. He told of the hardships of the soldiers before they left for their home shores, and of the work of the Y. M. C. A. secretaries who gave the boys the encouragement and cheer which they needed in their first touch of home sickness.

"Over there," Dr. Wheeler said, "the boys look for the first time, on a strange land. In France they see small farms and little stone towns, and the Y. M. C. A. secretaries are looking after the boys by the various war services. The American Library Association furnishes them with books of all kinds, and the boys read them with interest. The Community Chest service sees that they have a proper environment when they have leave, and the Y. M. C. A. and the Jewish Welfare League bring to them home influences."

Dr. Wheeler gave high praise to the work of the Salvation Army. "There you will find the Salvation armies up to the front line trenches, baking dough-nuts for the boys, and receiving them with hot coffee as they come back after being over the top."

"If the boys over there are to do the fighting for the sake of humanity, if the American soldier is to carry the message of America to Berlin, it is not for us at home to desert him when he leaves the shores of America," Dr. Wheeler exclaimed. "The government has done well in providing for the soldier. It has furnished him with railroad transportation such as France had never seen before. When the soldier lands in France he gets the largest railroad terminal in the world; he sees double-track railroads and Mogul engines carrying troops; and all this built by Americans and run by Americans. But the soldier who has been to the battle front needs the attention which only those war services can give."

Needs of France.

Dr. Wheeler said that not only must the American people pay attention to the needs of the American soldier, but Fresno and Russia and the other belligerents are asking for help.

"How can we expect those boys to make the supreme sacrifice if we do not make some sacrifice for them? We can do the highest good for them not only by raising the quota, but by largely over-subscribing it," Dr. Wheeler declared.

Visita Hospitals.

Dr. Wheeler told of his experiences on the various battlefronts, and his residence in Paris during the time of the bombardment by the long-range gun. He told of his visits to the hospitals all over France, and of the fine spirit shown by the wounded Yanks. "Their only anxiety is to get well and back to the fighting," he said. "Our anxiety should be that the soldier should feel that the people at home are thinking of him in substantial terms. This drive will be the means of bringing cheer to the boys over there of every creed and of no creed."

In ringing words Dr. Wheeler referred to the present appeal of Germany for peace terms. "By this means," he thundered, "Germany hopes to cripple our efforts. But a peace that is satisfactory to Germany is not satisfactory to us. We are not going to have a compromise peace. If peace was declared tomorrow it would take eighteen months for us to settle matters and demobilize the army. We will have to care for them."

New Committee Named.

The United War Work executive committee announced additional names that had been omitted from the published list of the county committee through error. The names are Mrs. Pete Droge, Mrs. C. F. Reilly and Frank G. Hood. It was announced that committees have still to be named for the following districts: Orange Grove, Niles, San Joaquin City, Tranquillity and Firebaugh.

The following committees were named yesterday: Coling—Charles H. Hildy, A. H. Good, S. A. Hughes, A. E. Webb and R. H. Stetle. Mendota—Mrs. G. T. Smoot.

H. C. Patterson, county campaign manager, announced that committees will be named in all school districts as a part of the general county committee.

No Postponement of Drive.

Owing to the prevalence of influenza the question of postponing the drive to a later period was raised at national headquarters. President Wilson, however, it was decided that the disadvantage of a postponement would outweigh any advantage in delay. In a telegram to F. Dean Prescott from John R. Mott, national director general of the campaign, this decision is given: "The telegram reads, as follows: 'General committee of the council has decided after careful consideration and wide consultation to adhere to original date and conduct drive as planned. I visited Washington today and took the matter up with the war department and President Wilson, and they fully support this decision. The disadvantages of putting off the campaign outweigh any apparent advantages of such delay. Leaders must exercise their best judgment and ingenuity in adapting plans to meet changed conditions. The fourth Liberty loan has been carried to a successful issue in the midst of the same epidemic. The fact that many public meetings are not permitted is not without advantages as it leaves the people more time to read and think and decide.'

Personal Solicitation.

"More effective use should be made of the printed page to help offset the lack of big meetings. Study how to effect greater increase in the amount of personal solicitation. This is the method of securing largest subscriptions and largest number of subscribers. Health regulations may prevent holding mass meetings; they will not interfere with countless little groups of from two to seven and eight. As people can not come together on Sundays this leaves much valuable time free. While not overlooking or neglecting great masses of population, we could concentrate on reaching comparatively small groups of people in quantity, and give by far the biggest print in every popular subscription."

"JOHN R. MOTT, National Director General."

Headquarters for the drive are now located at 1206 J street, Fresno, next to the offices of the consolidated railroads in the Cory building.

## Y. M. and Y. W. to Make Appeal for Local Funds

Announcement was made yesterday that next week for the benefit of the local funds of the Fresno Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. The sum aimed at for both associations, and stated to be absolutely required for the carrying on the work in the city, is \$15,000. The local associations are not allowed to share in the United War Work drive, George A. Forbes, general secretary of the Fresno Y. M. C. A., said yesterday, but must raise their funds locally for local purposes. He stated that unless the money has been forthcoming the associations will have to close their premises, and this, he said, would be a calamity not only for local boys and girls, but for the boys abroad. Strong appeals, he declared, had been received from national headquarters of the association to keep the local associations in a healthy condition, as it was only by this means the home base could be kept.

The committee consists of the board of directors of both organizations, with H. C. Cobb as chairman. The committee is urging the support of the citizens of Fresno to this cause, states that it recognizes that the people have had to give towards national schemes, but it insists that this work is absolutely essential for the welfare of the youth of the community. The sum asked for, it is stated, is \$5,000 less than last year.

Dedication Ser. Vice Postponed.

The St. Johannes Danish Lutheran congregation has had a new altar installed in their church at Easton, on Elm avenue. Dedication was to have taken place at the regular services last Sunday, but has been postponed. The altar, which has been the center of the youth of the community, has been installed. Church service and Sunday school also have been postponed.

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